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The Campaign Opened To-Day at the Home of Major Mc-Kinley.

Great Parade in the Morning-Speeches by Senators Cullom, Thurston and Many Others-A Tent Which Holds 20,000 People.

Caton, Ohio, Sept. 18.-The citizens were up early in their best attire, in honor of the formal opening of the campaign here. The streets was elaborately decoratof with bunting and arches of welcome. The weather is bright and cool. The givance appointment made sure of an energious crowd but the indications this merning are that the expectations will be exceeded. Early this morning the farmers from the surrounding country began to come singly and in squads. Later. medal trains of which over fifty are cheduled began to arrive and discharge their loans of enthusiastic partisans. Marching clubs from all parts of the state and from other states are included in the arrivals. At noon the organization of the parade began. It moved in four divisions of footmen with a large continvert of wheelmen and horsemen. Mo-Kinley and visiting speakers, and guests of honor, led the parade in open carplages. They marched to a tent capable efacemedating 20,000 people where the first meeting will be held. Governor Bushnell presiding. The speakers at this meeting are Senators Cullom of Illinois, and Thurston of Nebraska. Another meeting will be held this evening with Governor Hastings of Pennsylvania, and Congressman McCreary of Minnosota, as speakers.

Callom after a lengthy discussion of the tarlff question took up the money isme. He declared the statement that the dollar is a 200-cent dollar is incorrect. But if true, he asked, which would his horers rather have, 200-cent or a 50-cent dellar. According to the last treasury fatement we have a billion and a half of dellars in circulation; or nearly twentytwo dollars per capita. If Bryan is right our money circulation is equal to \$3,000,-50,660 or \$40 per capita. As their platform calls for only \$50 per capita they eight to be satisfied. If Bryan is elected our gold would leave us and the 1emainour moneý would shrink to the billion value of silver which would make our circulation less than \$9 per capita. Ibs speaker called attenton to the fact bat Bryan and the Democratic party four par ago urgal that the only thing necall make the country prosperous. The Total vote 126,986. Seaker did not believe the people of the would trust him again. He he tade and free coinage want.

Mr. Thurston pronounced a most glowing sulogy on the character of Mr. Mc-

GOT HIS MONEY.

Cuinsel a Money Broker Regarding & Hypnotist.

Portland, Ore . Sept. 18.—Daniel T. bulkley, of Seattle, a momber of the Purland Hypnotic ctub, complained to he police resterday that two magnetic refessors of the institution had swinand him out of \$1000 by means of bogus lamonds. Bulkley, who is a money soler, claims that the two professors sed him as a subject, and, while in a provie trance, he was persuaded to adare them \$1090 on a diamond, which at at time appeared to be of extraordinary te and purity. A few days later, when Saikley went to feast his eyes on the gem discovered that it was nothing but a at of glass. He has resigned from the spectic club.

England Confronted by Russia. Vienna, Sept. 18.—The Neue Freie tage, says the inspection of the forts dong the Dardanelles by a Russian gentalisthe Sultan's reply to England's dors to force him to abdicate and that t is also the response of Russia which has bien the sultant under protection.

Pennsylvania Bank Failure. Solidaysburg, P.t., Sept. 18.—The Pirate bank of Gardiner, Morrow & Co., e olichi in central Pennsylvania, was pended, owing to business depression. will pay in full.

#### KING THE CANDIDATE

National Democratic Congressional Con vention Names a Good Ticket.

Springfield, Ill., Sept 18 .- Forty of the fifty-one delegates to the Natioanal Demo cratic congressional convention gathered at the court house vesterday. In view of the fact that a heavy rain had been falling for several hours, rendering the roads almost impassable and making it impossible for the country delegates to reach TERS OF THOUSANDS FORM CROWD the trains, the attendance was very gratifying to the supporters of Democratic principles in the Seventeenth distict.

Stuart Brown, secretary of the congress sional committee, read the call for the convention and Hon. H.P. Shumway was named as temporary chairman of the convention. In taking the chair he made an encouraging address to the delegates. Mr. Brown was selected as secretary of the convention and the temporary organization was made permanent.

Dr. A. N. Miller of Lincoln moved that the convention proceed to the nomination of a candidate for congress and placed before the convention the name of States Attorney E. C. King, of Logan county. On motion of Hon. L. E. Hamilton, the nomination of Mr. King was made by acclamation, no other candidate being presented to the convention. Mr. King acknowledged the honor in a short speech. He promised to make an active campaign for the National Democratic ticket and said that his time would be at the disposal of the committee at all times.

Mr. King made a brief reference to his opponent, B. F. Caldwell.

'Only a few weeks ago," said he, "the Populists up in Logan county were talking about 'Caldwell, the greedy moneygrasping, gold bug banker of Spring field;' now they speak of 'Mr. Caldwell, the hopest farmer of Chathem. 122

Joseph Wailace, of Springfield, was nominated for member of the state board of equalization, the nomination being made by acclamation. He thanked the convention and promised that he would take the stump for the ticket.

The following congressional committee was selected: F. M. Hoblitt, of Logan. J. B. Able of Christian, F. M. Pratt of Macon, Stuart Brown, of Sangamon, and Charles Nusbaum, of Menard.

Demograts claim that the prosent silver Republican Piurality on the Governorship

Portland, Me., Sept. 18,-Complete returns of Monday's election are at hand. The total vote was: For Powers (Rep.) 83,573; for Frank (Dem), 34,841. Republican plurality 48,782 against 12,503,

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 18,-Complete official returns form the recent state election show the following vote for governor: Jones, (Dem), 91,124; Remmell (Rep) 35,836; Files (Pop) 13,989; Miller (Pro) were found. The investigation was stop-742. Total votes, 141,120. The vote in ped by darkness, but will be resumed to-1892 before the poll tax law was enacted morrow. was as follows Fishback (Dem) 90,115; Carnahan (Pop) 31,117; Whipple (Rep)3,-644; Nelson (Pro) 1,310. Total vote 156,-186. The vote in 1894 bled under the feary for the country was free trade. His present poll tax law resulted: Clarke keers knew how fallacious that claim (Dem) 74,809; Remmell (Rep.) 26,085; moved to be. Now, he says free silver Barker (Pop) 24,541; Miller (Pro) 1,551.

#### Thought His Wife Had Eloped.

Terro Haute, Ind., September 18.-Manual his hearers not to "run off after Simon Cohen, a commercial traveler, has Monshine theory," He declared the Re- sued the Western Union Telegraph Compublican party was for bimetallism and pany for \$2000 damages for failure to desend that the result of free silver would liver a message. He sent a telegram lower wages for labor and that he de- from Champaign, Ill., to his wife here, kred, was what the men who favored telling her to send him some money. The company returned the message with a notification that Mrs. Cohen bad gone to Louisville. Cohen says in his complaint that this made him suspect that she had eloped and he hastened to Louisville. As a matter of fact the wife had never left her home in this city. He Lewis Byrnes. Byrnes, thinking it still thinks the shock and the loss of time from his business is worth \$2000.

> Abducted from an Orphans' Home. Decatur, Ind., Sept. 18.—Yesterday well dressed man called at the Orphans' Home at Berne, this county, and asked to see two inmates, Gertie and Jessie Hess, aged 14 and 9, respectively. He claimed to be their step father. After much coaxing he was allowed to take the children, accompanied by a deaconess, for a buggy ride. He drove them to Rockford, Ohio, and, by dictor scheme, abducted the little one to parts unknown, leaving the deaconese to drive home alone. The children were brought to the home a year ago

from Chicago. Typhold Fever in a Hospital. Kankakee, Ill., Sept. 18.-An epidemic of typhoid fever of a malignant type is prevailing at the Illinois Eastern hospital. Thirty patients and amployee are down with the disease. Impure drinking water is thought to be the cause. The same trouble was experienced last year, since when the institution has not been free from the disease. So far fatalities the name of the Invincibles and Ausrhave been few.

London, Sept. 18.-A Rome special save that Vice Admiral Canevare with the prosecutor will be dynamical. The the Prince of Wales was injured while out the flying squadron leaves for the Levant letter is written in blood and was mailed shooting in the Scotch highlands is at the earliest possible moment.

### RAILROAD ACCIDENT

A Collision on the Chicago, Bamilton & Dayton Results in Serious Loss of Life.

#### A WILD ENGINE STRIKES A PAY CAR.

Four Persons Killed Outright-Six Others, Some Fatally, Injured-The Accident Occurs Near Indianapolis About Noon.

Indianapolis, Sept. 18.—Near Connersville on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayten road this morning a wild engine ran into a pay car. Four were killed and several were badly injured.

The dead are Chris Sweetman, engineeer; George House, conductor; Kinsey, fireman; Hughes, fireman. The injured are Paymaster Jansen, hadly; Assistant Paymaster! Scallon, slightly; E, Wysong, foreman bridges and buildings, badly; J. M. Rourke, road master, slightly; Connor, engineer, probably fatally; Fishbac porter, badly.

The pay car was following a freight Both were running as extra. The freight stopped at Longwood and put part of the train on the siding, taking the rest to Salter's switch. The crew took the engine and started back to Longwood and a mile and a half east met the pay car. It was down grade and impossible to stop. The engines met with a terrible crash, and the pay car was thrown on its side in the ditch. Paymaster Jansing cannot possibly live.

HOLMES' MURDERS RECALLED. Grave Filled With Human Bones Found

Near His Former Home.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—In the dense woods between North Evanston and Wilmette a grave has been found full of human bones. The discovery was made by A. FINAL FIGURES ON MAINE'S VOTE H. Parker, of Evanston, who, with his wife, has been making frequent excursions into the woods during the last two months. Mrs. Parker some weeks ago declared there was a grave, and urged her husband to investigate. He at first refused, but finally consented, just to show his wife that she knew nothing about graves. He dug long enough to turn up a few ribs and a thigh bone and then called on the police for help. This afternoon several other bones and a skull, supnosed from its size to be that of a woman

The spot is only a few rods from the house in which H. H. Holmes lived at Wilmette, and and it is thought by the police that the bones may be those of some of his victims. The bones had evidently been interred within two years, and were apparently placed in the grave without a coffin, and no clothing of any sort was

Accidentally Shot and Killed. Lebanon, Mo., Sept. 18 .- Nathan Israel. the 19-year-old son of Robert Israel of this city, was shot and killed at 8 o'clock last evening accidentally. Israel was arrested yesterday on the charge of carrying lunch rooms, removing the cartridges. A tered the lunch rooms, took up his revoland handed it back to the night clerk, empty, began snapping it at several young men in the room, and when, in revolving, the cartridge in the cylinder was reached, the weapon was pointed at

one hour and forty-five minutes. Swallowed a Set of False Teeth. Ottumwa, Iowa, Sept. 18 .- Rev. T. W Russell, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Ottumwa, died yesterday as the result of swallowing a set of false teeth while at breakfast. After the accident be suffered intensely, and at 10 o'clock was stricken with apoplexy, which caused his death in a few moments. Rev. Russell came to the United States nine years ago from Scotland. He entered the

Threatened With Dynamite, Boulogne, France, Sept. 18.—The pubthe dynamiter Tynan receive a letter in ber 8. chist Brotherhood saying that unless Ty-

eighty-six miles from Paris.

unmarried. He has no relatives in this

Who Avenged His Wife's Dishonor. Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 18 .- Acting Gov ernor Worthington yesterday pardoned Stephen Nethercutt, of Grayson county. What the governor wrote on the paper tells an unusual story. It is as follows:

"The accused was a soldier and officer in the federal army. In the war of the rebellion, while he was away from home, doing battle for this country, his wife HIS ARMY MOYES TOWARD HAVANA. was debauched by one Stevens, who, on the return of the accused from the army boasted publicly of his acts, and taunted the accused with having despoiled his home. Thereupon the accused shot and killed Stevens. This was more than thirty years ago. An indictment was returned against Nethercutt for that killing, accusing him of murder, whereupon he left Kentucky, and has never been ap-

"All the county officials, with a large number of other good citizens, ask that he be pardoned. He is now an old man, and has been away from home the best part of his life. He now desires to return to his native county and view the graves of his parents and the scenes of his childbood before dying. I do not think be should be punished for the killing, even with the shame of a trial. His banishment has been a greater punishment than his act merited. I therefore pardon him."

BRYAN'S CHALLENGE ANSWERED. President Parry Shows How His Employes Will Vote.

Omaha, Neb., Spat. 18.-President Parry of the Parry Manufacturing company of Indianapolins has written a letter to Euclid Martin, chairman of the Democratic state committee, verifying the latter's statements, which Mr. Bryan had challenged. Mr. Parry says the men in his factory numbering on the average 1500 have been asked as to their politics. The first poll taken immediately after the Popocratic convention showed 75 per cent for silver. The second poil three Republican platform. The next poll city is still held by Spaniards, but the taken last week, shows 82 per cent for garrison has been greatly weakened by good money, 13 per cent for silver, and yellow fever and lack of food, and it is ă por cent undecided.

Cleveland's Return to Washington. Washington, Sept. 18 .- It is said at the White House that there is no prospect of an immediate return of the President and Mrs. Cleveland from their summer cottage on Buzzard's Bay. Unless the weather makes a decided change for the worse in the meantime, it is not believed that the presidential family will resume their residence at the White House much before the first of November, Such was the president's purpose when he started away on his vacation early in June. Secretary Lamont is his personal representative at the capital Fjust at present, and is in constant communication with him on all questions requiring his attention. Secretary Olney is expected to resume his duties at the state department about the first of the month, when Mr. Reckhill, who has been in charge during his absence, will go away on a short vacation.

DeWitt Caunty Settlers. Clinton, Ill., Sept. 18.—The old settlers of DeWitt county and the borders of L gan and Macon met at Pastime park vesterday and held an interesting roun ion. John Morrison presided and speech es were made by Orton, Burns and Wil liam Dillaboo, who has lived in the state concealed weapons, and after his release over eighty years. There were survivors on bond took his revolver to the Frisco of the deep snow from both Logan and DeWitt counties. Morrison was made short-time before the tragedy he re-on- president; William Kirby, vice president and George Morrison, secretary, for the ver, slipped a cartridge in the clyinder present year, and August 1 was set for the next meeting.

Buckner and Fellows at Memphis, Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 18-Gen. Simos Boliver Buckner, vice-presidential nomi nee of the national Democracy, and ex-Congressman John R. Fellows, of New its owner. The bullet entered the neck York, addressed an audience of 4000 peoand passed entirely through. Israel lived ple in Memphis last night. Gen. Buckner confined himself to a general discussion of causes leading to the Indianapolis convention and to an argument against the free coinage of silver.

Bryan was an Early Bird.

Goldsboro, N. C., Sept. 18 .- Bryan's private car was side tracked here and be slept in it during the night. At 9 o'clock this morning he delivered an address from the rear of the platform to a large crowd. He then left for Rocky Mount. He expressed himself as much gratified at the action of the New York Democratic conministry last year, and Ottumwa was his first charge. He was 85 years of age and vention.

Adlai Swaltows It. Washington, Sept. 18.-Vice President Stevenson has accepted an invitation to preside at the convention of the associalic prosecutor in charge of the case against tion of Bryan clubs at St. Louis, Octo-

Prince of Wales Nafe. London, Sept. 18.-The sensational nan is released within twenty four hours story circulated in the United States that

## PARDONED IN ORDER TO RETURN. TO FORCE A BATTLE.

It is Reported That Maximo Go. mez is about to Attack the Spaniards.

General Banderas in Command of the Infantry While Gomez Conducts the Cavalry-Junction to be Formed With Gen. Maceo.

Kay West, Fla., Sept. 18.—Advices from Havana per steamer Mascotte, which arrived last night, state that the insurgent chiefs are concentrating their forces in the west, and that it is believed they mean to bring on a general battle. Maximo Gomez, with eighteen squadrons of cavalry, is marching westward, and will replenishment after a legislative investibe in Havana Province in a day or two.

On the 10th inst, the forces of Gomez camped at Guasimas de Agramonto, where they surrounded and captured a Spanish battalion numbering 500 men.

Mayla Podriguez, with 2000 mon, forming the advance guard of Gomez's fores, has already crossed into Havana Province. Qunton Bandera, with 4000 men, has left Remedies, and is also advancing westward. It is said that Banderas will command all of the insurgent infantry in the new invasion of the west, Gomez reserving to himself the command of the cavalry.

Simultaneously with the westward ad vance of the forces of Gomez, Antonio Maceo has resumed active operations in Pinar del Rio Province. Macco has left his stronghold in the mountains and is encamped in force on the Llanes estate, weeks later showed 65 per cent for the south of the city of Pinar del Rio. This said Maceo intends to take the place by storm. Then he will out the trocha, and, entering Havana Province, unite with the army of Gomez. The two Cuban generals will then offer battle to the Spaniards.

Captain General Weylor is alive to the dangerous character of the campaign vana Tuesday for Jucaro and Moron. will attempt to cross. It is stated in Haof Maceo. If Weyler does take the field which fall within a few inches of the Capgreat fighting is expected, as both Span-tain's head, but nothing out of the ordinplanned to capture or kill Weyler at any will guard the place nightly cost if he personally assumes command of the Spaniards in the field. The Cuban chiefs believe the death or capture of Weyler would end the war in their favor.

WANTS HIS MONEY IN GOLD. Demands Made by a Philadelphia Presci

Philadelphia, Sept. 18 .- At the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the East Baptist church, Hanover street, near Grand avenue the pastor. Rev. C. H. Woolston, announced that in case William J. Bryan is elected president, he would expect his salary to be paid in gold stating at the same time, "I cannot re- trict, and J. A. F. King, of the Decatur ceive the devil's money for the Lord's work." The trustees agreed with the minister and decided to grant his request if Bryan was victorious. It was further noir, Tenn., and Rev. M. F. Scouttsb. agreed that all the church bills would be paid in gold instead of silver. As the \$400 on the \$6000 to be raised for the church is composed almost entirely of the Union Biblical Seminary, the only theololaboring classes, this step has a deep sig- gical school of the denomination,

A Decatur Firm Interested.

Chicago, Sept. 18 .-- The interstate comerce commission today began the hear ing of charges by Suffern, Hunt & Co. of Decatur, Ill., against the Indiana, Decatur & Western road. The complaint is based on the practice of the road in imposing a penalty rate for double tariff rate on all grain in excess of the maximum of weights allowed for each car load.

Activity in Russian and English Squadror Constaninople, Sept. 18 .- The British Mediterreanean squadron is expected to reach the Island of Lemons today. Active preparation for sea duty are proceeding among the vessels of the Russian squadron in the Black cos.

A fifth letter carrier has been put on at

TREATMENT OF ILLINOIS INSANE Patients Wantonly Murdered-Legislative

Investigation a Debauch Chicago, Sept. 18.-Dr. S. V. Clevenger, of this city, in an address delivered at the opening of the Harvey Medical college, made sweeping charges against the manner in which the insane asylums and hospitals of Illinois have been run for many years. Summed up, his charges are as follows:

Insane patients have been wantenly murdered, and persons who have exposed the abuses existing in the asylums and hospitals of Illinois have been assassinated, and their silence made sure. Asylums have been plundered of their funds by systematic and long continued collusion smong those who held positions of trust.

Inspecting tours of legislative committees; became leigelative debauches, the bills for which are paid at the expense of the insane and sick charges of the state. These leigelative debauches are bribes offered to and accepted by the legislative committees. Helpless patients made no denfinite charges of murder, but gave many figures to prove that the liquer supplly of the dispensary invariably needed gation. He gave many instances of the mistreatment of patients, and declared that in several instances physicians who had dared to make a stand for the humane treatment of their patients and been practically hounded to death.

#### INSANE STRICKEN DOWN. Typhold Fever Breaks Out at the Kanks. kee Asylum and Thirty Cases are

Already Reported. Kankakee, Ill., Sept. 18 .- Malignant fever has broken out among the insane patients at the castern asylum. The epidemic was as sudden as it is serious, and thirty cases have been already reported. As fast as they are taken ill the patients are taken to the hospital ward, which is

in danger of being overcrowded. Several of the attendants have been affected, which increases the gravity of the situation, as the rest have all they can do to take care of the insane patients and adont measures to check the spread of the disease. Impure drinking water is said. to be the cause of the trouble.

(There are many insane patients at the hospital from Decatur and Macon county and friends will be anxious to learn who are affected.)

PEORIA GHOST THROWS BRICKS

Police Watch All Night but Cannot Solve planned by the Cuhans, and Spanish Pooria, III., Sept. 18.-Poorians are troops are daily being hurried to the reveling in the mysteries of a hounted

front. Five thousand Spanlards left Ha- house at No. 103 and 105 West Madison street. For several nights the neighbors Those places are situated near the middle have been annoyed by bricks, rocks and of the trocha, where it is expected Macco other missiles falling on the roof and all efforts to locate the source have proved vana that Weyler will soon take the field unavailing. On Tuesday night Capt. in person and make a desperate effort to Charles and three detectives scoured the prevent the concentration of the insur- neighborhood and were on duty all night gent forces by defeating the divisions in without result. Last night Capt. Charles detail. Weyler will take command in and ten policemen guarded the property, Pinnr deliRio and trylto destroy the army They heard and saw the missiles, one of lards and Cubans realize that on the outcome of the campaign will depend Cuba's inspected the roof of the Calvary Presbyfate. Gomez and Macco are said to have terian Church, which is close by. O'lloses explanation is found.

United Brethren in Christ, Lexington, Ill., Sopt. 18 .- The Central Illinois Conference of the United Brothren in Christ is in session in this oity. Bishop Jonathan Weaver, the Senior Bishop presiding. The conference organized by electing Rev. J. W. Moats secrotary. Among the distinguished visitors present are: Rev. J. J. Shuey, publishing agent; Rev. William McKee, missionary treasurer, and Rev. C. Whitney, general solicitor for the Union Biblical Seimpary. Reports were presented by Presiding

Elders L. Field, of the Lexington disdistrict, showing a satisfactory condition. Sermons were preached by Rev. W. L. Richardson, pastor of the church at Le-

The conference obligated itself to pay

Guarda Doubled in London.

London, Sept. 18 .-- As a result of the disclosures said to be made by the doonments found on a man named Bell, alias Ivory, arrested in Glasgow, the number of guards around the houses of parliament, the mansion house, the ruyal agchange the national gallery, the British museum, St. Paul's Cathodral, Westmin. ster Abbey and other public buildings have been doubled.

Ordinations Declared Invalid. Rome, Sept. 18 .- The pope in an apogtolic letter declares the Anglican ordina. tions absolutely invalid and invites the Anglicans to return to the Catholic

Killed His Wife and Himself. St. Paul, Sept. 18--Late last night T. J. Johnson, colored, shot and severely wounded his wife, then killed himself. Jeniousy is said to be the cause.

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WANTED-Work by millions of unemployed Americans, thrown out of employment by millions of workmen in other countries, whose product comes here under the Wilson bill, and who buy what they eat from farmers from their own countries, and what they wear and use in furulshing their homes from foreign merchants. These American workmen are out of work, and many of them out of money, too. With the Payment in any money of the United paper, or gold, 100 cents to every dol-

How is Money Created?

AMERICA FOR AMERICANS.

lar, will be entirely satisfactory.

does not believe it he is a public enemy so far as his influence goes. The governsumer and the only means it has of support is by taxation. The people tax them-

selves to sustain or maintain their government. In that case all that would be from 65 cents an onnce to \$1.29 cents an necessary would be to create money and ounce. save taxes. Gold is money. The government never created a grain of gold. It never produced an ounce of gold and its Senator Gorman at the head of the camstamp upon an ingot of gold or silver paign management. Think of it. Only never added value to that ingot before or two years ago Bryan and the push were after it was coined. Gold is money yet it characterizing Gorman as a Judas Iscais but a product the same as iron or lead riot for holding up the Wilson tariff bill or copper, it was created or formed by the in the senate and emasenlating it. Now chemistry of nature Men discovered it he is to sit at the corner of Bryan's mouth in the rooks and in ore. When it has been made a finished product it is the pro- Gorman is for free silver? Watson says duct of labor just as iron, copper or lead he is selling out the Democratic party. in their perfected state are the products of Watson may be right but the chances are labor. Gold has its value as a commodity that the "great cause of free silver and just as iron, copper, or lead has. What cheap money has been sold out to Gor is true of gold is true of silver. Gold and silver are used as money in preference to iron or copper or lead for reasons that are apparent to the most stupid. They were not mede money by law or by proclamation of kings but by the inexorable law of necessity. Being products or commodities, least destructible, most difficult to produce, most valuable as compared with other products in bulk and weight, most regular in production and least liable to fluctuation in value as compared with other products, gold and silver became the commodities used in the exchange of other products and have been so for many many centuries. They were in the interest of England and against first weighed in the exchange of products. Then they were coined into pieces but tariff question. The man who votes to always remained a commodity and and open the mings of the United States to Champaign. The same of the same

commodities by cost of production and supply and demand. Both get their value from intelligent labor. Gold and silver are the things exchanged for something else. Other things are exchanged for them. They are not instrumentalities to facilitate exchange technically speaking. The coining of gold and silver flxing and attesting by authority of law the quantity and floeness of the metal in a coin is a device for facilitating exchanges. But preliminary to the use of the device of coinage, and which is necessary to facilitating the exchange of other commodities, is some unit of account as a basis for expressing the value of commodities. England adopted its pound sterling as a unit of account and its fractions for sums smaller than the unit which makes change" necessary. Its people learned to express the value of land or houses or horses in pounds, shillings and pence. The pound was to be of the value of and contain a fixed number of grains of gold so the coining of the commodity known as gold was a device to facilitate the exchange of other commodities for it or for the exchange of other commodities for each other. France made its unit the five franc and when the government of the United States was established it adopted the dollar as the unit of account. This in each case was done before a pound sterling, a five franc or a dollar was coined. The coinage did not advance the exchangeable value of the metal in the coin or the value of any other commodity. The

Bank notes and other paper has come into use and is called money, but it is not money. It is simply credit money, a promise to pay at some time in some way and has behind it as a redsemer, coin. It has no intrinsic value as a comomdity and exchanges for other commodities as a representative of coin.

value of all was still determined by the

law of supply and demand and the elec-

tion of Bryan and all the Populists in the

county could not change this law or add

one cent to the real value of anything

produced.

So Mr. Bryan's theory that a governmeut can create money is mere trash unworthy any American citizen supposed to have intelligence enough to be president.

#### Another Case of "Milk Sick."

A report was circulated, and Judge Amos Holgate of Marinette, Mich., wrote to Commander Doll of Post 25, G. A. R., Canton, Ohio, that W. J. Bryan had told him that he had been informed that the Canton, Ohio.were against McKinley and look at them. for Bryan; that in McKinley's own post out of 42 members 38 were for Bryan. Holgate's letter to Commander Boll caused a poll of the ex-soldiers of Canton to be made and the result is that out of 578 old soldiers polled in the city 83 are Democrats or Populists and 495 are Republicans. All the Republicans the report made by the commanders of the two posts who directed the poll says will vote for McKinley and that upwards of 25 of those recorded as Democrats will vote for McKinley. The report is signed by Hiram Doll, commander of Canton Post and H. S. Moses, commander of George D. Harter Post. This is another case of "milk sick" that has been forced into an-

other county.

Thee world's stock of silver is supposed McKinley times of 1892 back again, to be about five billion ounces or 210,000 employment is guaranteed. But they tons. From 1878 to 1890 the United want work now, and want it badly. States comed 11,750 tons of silver into silver dollars and that did not raise the States government today, silver, price of the world's silver. From 1890 to 1893 the United States bought 6.750 tons of silver and that did not raise the price of the world's silver. In spite of it all silver continued to declined in price in proportion to the increased production. can be created by law. He says it can, coined 8,000,000 silver dollars or 225 tons had had its tongue cut out during the From 1792 to 1873 the United States If he believes it he is mistaken. If he of silver (which is sometimes called half night by some fiend. the world money) and that did not maintain the price of silver. In 1873 congress ment produces nothing. It raises neither passed a coirage law which dropped the wheat, corn or cats. It is only a con- coinage of the silver dollar. Now there are people who are claiming that the dropping from coinage of that dellar has selves to support the government. If it reduced the price of silver from \$1.33 an could create money then the people would ounce to 65 cents an onnee and that free be under no necessity for taxing them. coinage of silver in the United States alone would raise the price of silver

> The last arrangement, to preserve any part of the Demopopulist ship is to put and command. Does anybody believe

The man of means who uses his means where it will employ labor and thus be comes a producer is a public benefactor and is not a public enemy as certain cam pargners would have us believe. The man of wealth who hoards it and does curse as much so as the man who for po- the age of 94. litical or any other purpose endeavors to We are anxious to do a little good in array labor against its only means of emthis world and can think of no pleas-

the interests of the United States on the

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Out this out and put it in your pocket for reference.

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In the last Leaflet some information was promised as to what the nations of the world have done with silver since the so-called "crime" of 1973, and the corresponding "crimes" of other nations. It is well known that many of the nations ceased the free and unlimited coinage of allver about the same time that the United States did. Among these were Germany, Belgium, Holland, Norway, Sweden, France, Spain, Italy, Switzerland and Austro-Hungary. Yet all these countries continued to coin silver on government account just as the United States has done, and even more freely than they had done before.

The result is that there is more than double the amount of silver money in the world to-day than there was in 1873. Preston, the Director of the Mint, shows that the silver money of the world in 1873 amounted to only \$1,917,000,900, while to-day it amounts to \$4,670,500,000, of which \$3,440,700,000 is a full legal tender.

than ever before.

Annual average silver coinage since 1873..... \$ 65,143,000 Average annual silver coinage since 1892...... 135,521,000

Now as to what the United States alone has done. The silver money in the United States to-day amounts to \$625,000,000. In 1872 it amounted to \$55,000,000. Thus it will be seen that the silver money in the United States is more than ten times as much to-day as it was prior to the "prime" of 1873

"crime" of 1873.

Even during the first seven months of this year, 1896, more silver dollars were coined at the mints of the United States than were coined in the 81 years prior to the act of 1873.

The following table shows the amount of silver money in the United States in 1873 and the amount in each succeeding year down to date:

Year.	Siliter Currency id the U.S.
1872	
1873	00,000,000
1574	62,000,000
8.5	63,000,000
1876	72,000,000
mm.	90,000,000
1070	105.000.000
1600	163,000,000
120-1	215,000,000
1883	244,000,000
1884	969, 000, 000
1885	297,900,000
1585	200 000 000
1886	200,000,000
1887	469,000,000
1200	231,000.000
1695	625,000,000

Do you think that the claim that silver has been badly treated by the United States or in the world at large is well founded?

the coinage of cheap silver dollars and HARRY SNARR States simply don't know what is neces sary to make the country prosperous.

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Mr. Milton Frantz, of Nebraska, is visiting his aged mother at Eminence after an absence from the village of twenty-one

BONFIELD, Ill., Aug. 14, 1895. "I am subject to Cramps and Colic, and have used many remedies, but find Foley's Colic and Diarrhea Cure beats them all. W. L. Yeats."

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A farmer near Ogden went to the stand found that one of his best horses

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An unmarried young colored man and a married white woman, both of Champaign, ran away recently and are said to have been married.

It would be hard to convince a man suffering from bilious colic that his agony is due to a microbe with a unpronounceable name. But one dose of DeWitt's Colic and Cholers Cure will convince him of its power to afford instant relief. It kills pain. A. J. Stoner & Son and Armstrong Bros.

The Woodford county court house case comes up again in a short time and the people of Metamora and Eureka are some

Eli Hill, Lumber City, Pa., writes: "I have been suffering from Piles for twenty-fire years and thought my case incurable. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me as a pile cure so I bought a box and it performed a permanent cure." This is only one of thousands of similar cases. Eczema, sores and skin diseases will yield quickly when it is used. A. J. Stoner & Son and Armstrong Bros. Son and Armstrong Bros.

Mr. Daniel McNeil Seymour, one of th oldest residents of Champaign county, nothing with it is a miser and a public died recently at the city of Chapaign a

ployment.

Mr Bryan assumes deflance to Engineering One Minute Cough Cure as preventive of pneumonia, consumption and on free coinage, but Mr. Bryan voted in the interest of England and against low neglected colds. A. J. Stoner & Son and Armstrone Bros

A fifth letter carrier has been put on at

### THE REPUBLICAN'S LEAFLET NO. 4.

to only \$1,517,000,901, while to day it symbols to \$2,500,000 is a full legal tender.

Thus it will be seen that the silver money of the world has not only more than doubled since the "crime" of 1873, but has increased at the average rate of \$95,000,000 a year since that time. The report of the Director of the Mint also shows that the world's comage of silver in the last three years has been \$406,565.815, or an average of \$135,531,938 per annum, thus showing that the world is even now coining more silver

Here are the figures side by side: Silver money in the world in 1878. \$1,867,000,000 Silver money in the world in 1896. 4,070,500,000

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500 yards Outing Flannels in Fancy stripes, price 6c, for this sale at ... 3½c 600 yds. Apron Ginghams, at ..... 3c Best Linings at.......31/4c 600 yds. Fiber Chamois, in light col-

ors, sells all over for 15c, Savings Bank Price at.... wide, price 20c, for this sale at... 450 yds. of Scotch Plain Suitings

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Special In Men's Pasts. 250 pairs Men's Black Cutton Wors. Pants, Fancy Stripe, good enough to wear for Sunday and for even. ing wear, price \$2. Savings Back Price. \$1.5 250 pairs Men's Heavy Pants pair \$1.5

175 pairs Men's Fine Cashmers All Wool Pants, Fancy Stripe, process to \$3.50, for this sale at. 200 pairs Pantacustom made coals. price \$5 and \$6, for this sa'e, pair £30 BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT, 500 pairs Children's Overal. some

thing which was never heard be-fore at the price, but when the Savings Bank gives a bargain it is a bargain-for this sale at per 

The best Beaver Jacket to be had, worth \$250, to be sold at a big bargan.

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office and find out about excursion to cisco. Speaking recently of their jour-

meeting at Maroa, Sept. 29. W. E. Lodge, Ben Caldwell and E. B. Cake will be the deserts and prairies, and arrived at its His district has raised during the past

dled at the home of Mrs. Richard Damry, took place near Blue Mound on Republican ladies should plan to attend

The funeral of Miss Cora House, who

the meeting at Abbott's hall Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A campaign club is to be organized. For Rent-A modern 6-room partly fur-

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and Armstrong Bros. The organization meeting of the Republican ladies of the city to be held at Abbott's hall Saturday afternoon at 2:30 clock will test the capacity of the hall. Nearly all the ladies in Decatur are for

19 and 20, leaving 7 and 11:47 a. m., Satorday, and 1:05 and 7 a. m., Sunday

Will Allen is in the city on a visit with his parents and to call on old friends. Mr. Allen was formerly a clerk for Kipp & Hamer. He is now engaged in farming pursuits near Martin, Tenn., and is doing well.

Financial difficulties caused William Doyle, residing near Blue Mound, to attempt suicide. He used a revolver, but and G. A. W. Brown, of Macomb, assisthad visited Taylorville to secure extension day with an elaborate choral service at of time on a mortgage. It had been re- the tabernacle. Rev. J. S. Woods, for-

Persons who have a coughing spell every night, on account of a tickling sensation in the throat, may overcome it at once by a dose of One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Stoner & Son and Armstrong Bros.

Take the Wabash to Chicago Saturday or Sept. 19 and 20, \$2 for the round trip. Trains will leave as follows: 7 and 11:47 a. m., on Saturday and 1:05 and 7 a. m. of Sunday. All tickets good returning till train leaving Chicago 9 p. m. Sunday. --- 10-td

the man who had taken them to arouse his sluggish liver. A. J. Stoner & Son and Armstrong Bros.

Last night at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wood, the 14th hirth very pleasantly celebrated. A large company of young people engaged in the fes-

Local Committee Will Not Protest Macon

will meet in Peoria next month.

#### Bicycle Chat.

year, are disappearing from the roads and George S. Durfee & Bro., 156 South Water thoroughfares popular with cyclists The more sensible and hygienic sweaters dangerous to leave the sweater at home

dems have ever been heard of, but the of Grace church. most notable one on record was that Just before going to bed eat a Cascaret taken in June and July by the Hess exactly 2525 miles on their Crescent tan-Call at the Illinois Central city ticket dem, riding from Lebanon to San Fran-Chicago next Saturday and Sunday.—15- ney, one of the brothers said: "We believe that this was the first tandem ever The free silver Democrats will hold a ridden across the continent. It was ridden by us continuously over mountaine destination in first class condition. This was probably the most severe test ever put upon a machine of its description or this continent. We rode 475 miles over ratiroad ties, tracks and treatle work besides on strips of corduroy down the Sierra Nevada range of mountains.''

The indications are that the first cele bration of Pythian Day at Riverside park, Tuesday, Sept. 29, by the Knights of Pythias association of the district of ises, 532 West William street, or 113 North Macon, will be a big affair. No effort will be spared to make the gatheirug an enjoyable affair for the Knights, their Small in size, but great in results, enjoyable affair for the Knights, their DeWitt's Little Early Risers act gently families and their friends. There will be a basket picnic dinner at the park, and during the afternoon Grand Chancellor J. J. Brown will deliver an address All are invited to attend. There will be music by Goodman's band. The electric cars run to the park. At night there will be amplified Third Rank work at the castle hall of Chevalier Bayard Lodge, and Decatur division, No. 36. Uniform Rank will give a sociable at the castle hall of Coeur de Leon lodge The officers of the

Vice President-J. B. Dinges, Decatur.

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H. C. Mowry, Forsyth; Frank R. Quer-The Wabash gives you choice of four ry, Argenta; John Scott, Oreana; H. R.

merly of the Decatur church, is entertain-

#### Clay Clement Again.

Much interest is manifested in the forthcoming appearance of Mr. Clay Clement at the Grand next Monday evening, Sept 21, in "The New Dominion." This play is comedy, the work of Mr. Clement himself, and is valuable mainly for the opportunity it gives its author to appear in role radically unlike anything hitherto attempted. In Baron Victor von Hohenstaussen' he gives a portrayal to the Grand next Saturday ovening, "Wake up, Jacob, day is breaking!" of a gentleman that is true to life. His Sept. 19, filled as it is with exciting increase and DeWitt's Little Early Risers to struggles with the English language are dents and ingenious mechanical adjuncts. those of an educated man who speaks in English and thinks in German.

day anniversary of Mass Ethel Wood was | Warrensburg, was driving to Kenney a few days ago when he passed a tramp. tivities. Delicions refreshments were him aboard. At Kenney he tied his Two-dollar excursion to Chicago over the animal and buggy. The tramp, Merthe Illinois Central Saturday and Sun-ritt McPherron, was captured and tried day, Sept. 19 and 20. Tickets good going before Justice Donahue Wednesday. He our at Terre Haute Sept. 22 to 25. The on 7 a. m. and 11:58 a. m. trains of Sat-\ad stolen another horse, but the owner\money offered aggregates \$19,090. Many urday, and Diamond Special of Sunday sécured it. McPherron confessed his noted horses have been entered in the 2:00 morning. Returning on Diamond Fig. crime and was bound over in the sum of and 2:11 pages and also in the trots. As cial, leaving Chicago at 9 p. m., sun-\$300, in default of which he was commit- usual Decatur people will be well repreted to the county jail.

### ELDERS AT TUSCOLA.

District Reports Heard at the

Rev. W.-H. Musgrove Will Take Charge-A Watch Presentation-Lecture by Dr. Clarence Reed -Missionary Society.

The second day's session of the Illinois

Methodist conference opened at Tuscola with devotional services. The call of the nois Watch Towers are taken in the districts was resumed and the presiding alders reported their respective districts. Rev. Chris Galeener gave a good report of and fall, mothers' meetings, and purity, the Decatur district showing that consid- flower missions, franchice, narcotics, litery deliar of the money paid to them ering the stringency in the money marwill be returned if it has not already ket the benevolent collections and pasbeen. The grand chapter of the state tors' salarles were up to the standard. Rev. D. F. Howe reported \$900 for misions from the First church, Decatur, and all other collectios were up to the apportionment. Owing to the illness of and the linen uniforms, so popular this Rev. R. G. Hobbs a few weeks before supper conference there was a slight falling off in the benevolence which included mussions and other church enterprises. Elare coming to the front again. It is der Gaicener reported that there had been but one death in any parsonage within on the cool nights which are coming upon the bounds of the Decatur district during port of the president, Mrs. Cruzan made the past eneference year and that was the her yearly address, in which she urged the Few really long distance trips on tan- little daughter of Rev. and Mrs Hobbs

> Rev. W. D. Best, whose term of six years on the Jacksonville district is now closing, was on behalf of the preachers of his district addressed by Dr McFarland, of Grace church, Jacksonville, and presented with a set of the Standard dictionary. Dr. Best responded with appropri ate words.

W. T. McEiroy, presiding elder of the Springfield district, gave a fine report. year upwards of \$150,000 exclusive of pastors' salaries, and the collections for the past year are up to the apportionment in nearly every case. Dr. McElroy is a model presiding elder and although it is not customary it seems that the bishop will transfer him from the Springfield district to succeed Mr. Best on the Jacksonville district. R. C. Carlos, pastor of the Second

church, Springfield, in behalf of the preachers of the Springfield district, presented Dr. McEiroy with a handsome gold watch. The doctor responded feelingly, referring to the watch as a reminder that time is passing with him. Robert Stephens, of the Mattoon dis

trict, and Horace Reed of the West Jacksonville district, gave excellent reports of their work.

Dr. Roed said that his district was in the free silver belt yet in the collections and enterprises he aimed to bring them ip to the gold standard.

Doctor Beiler, vice chancellor of the American university at Washington, D. C., addressed the conference in the interest of that institution, emphasizing the fact that specialists were educated and have recently been realized on by this anniversary of the surrender of Cornuniversity.

Dr. Rees, recording secretary of the Freedman's Aid and Southern Educadress before the conference.

Rev. W H. Musgrove is here for an appointment after a rest of five or six years. the African Methodist Episcopal church held its anniversary this afternoon at out by William Helland. Attorney Labegan its sessions at Peoria yesterday, and which Mrs. A W. Conklin, of Decatur, forgee appeared for the defendant, and last evening the visiting elergymen were presided. Among the speakers were C. City Attorney J. M. Lee for the prosecuextended a public reception, at which the B. Taylor, of Lincoln, and Judge Cun. tion. The case against Mrs. Cooper was mayor made the address of welcome. The ningham, of Urbana. The orphan's home dismissed because it appeared that she conference was opened with Bishop Ar- at Urbana founded by Judge Cunning. did not strike the first blow in the beginnett in the chair. The Rev. A. J. Bur- ham is under the direction of this society. Ding of the fracas. Rev. Clarence Reed, who has just returned from a ten months' tour of the old

> this afternoon. Last night Dr. John D. P. John delly- Louis, who married Miss Bettina Pistoered his celebrated lecture, "Did Man rius, and Samuel Pistorius, who mar-Make God or Did God Make Man," a re- ried Miss Lizzie Robusch, of St. Louis. ply to Colonel Robert Ingersoll. The Samuel and Bettina are children of Mr.

> Mesdames D. S. Shellabarger, A. W. Conklin, W. H. Grindol and F. Shultz, of Grace church, Decatur, are attending the arrested last night by Officer Cross for

> > "Pulse of New York,

A realistic American comedy drama is "The Pulse of New York," which come it is not by any means deficient in liter ary merit. The startling scenic surprises aid in developing a consistent story The pile driver has a place in the plot; so has an elevated street railway. The com pany is an excellent one, headed by that cleverest of souhrettes, Carrie Lamont and the prince of grotesque comedians Mr. Chris Bruno.

The Terre Haute Races. The bills are up for the big races to oc sented at the Terre Haute meeting.

THE W. C. T. U.D WORK.

Business Meeting of the Society-Ten and Biscults Served

The yearly business meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon in their ball on North Main street. The mports of officers showed that during the year fifty regular mootings had been held, with an average attendance of thirteen. The largest attendance was twenty-seven and the smallest five. Thirty-eight visitors have been present at the business meetings. Among the visitors were Miss Margaret Wintringer, state superintendent of the L. T. L. Mrs. Schieke, and the Rev. Mr. Whitwam, agent for the Harriman Temperance university. The membership for this year amounts to 285. twenty-two honorary and thirteen active members being taken in during the ear. Two members have died, Miss Bertha Shepard and M. P. Murphey. Forty-two Union Singals and four Illiunion. Ten departments of work were adopted this year: Evangelistic, prison erature, press, scientific, temperance instruction, and systematic giving. The heads of the different departments have

During the year \$5.80 has been collected for the Temperance temple. On November 29, the union cleared \$30 on a

The ladies have been able to meet their running expenses and they find the work at the beginning of the year to be in pretty fair condition.

After the secretary read the yearly remembers to go on and do better work than ever.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President-Mrs. M. P. Larrick.

Vice President-Mrs. Liggie Crugan. Recording Secretary-Miss Ella Litsin-

Corresponding Secretary-Miss Myra Carminy. Financial Secretary-Mrs. Olive R.

Treasurer-Mrs. L. M. Brown.

The election of vice presidents from the churches and superintendents of the various departments were laid over till next

At the class of the meeting a social was hold by the members. Refreshments were served. The ladies will hold services at the Anna B. Millikin home next Sunday at 8 p. m.

Baughters of the Revolution. Thursday afternoon the Daughters of the Revolution had an interesting and patriotic meeting at the home of Mrs F. N. Ewing to celebrate the centennial of the delivering of Washington's farewell

The address was read by Mrs. T. T. Roberts and then Mrs. Lucien C. Shellabarger read a selection from "Our Country." The article reviewed the character

and strength of the address. Miss Belle Ewing read another article from the same magazine, which said among other interesting things, that Illinois is the fifth state in the Union in the number of Daughters of the Revolution

within its boundaries. The next meeting will be bold at the residence of S. S. Jack on October 17, the

That Scrap at Church.

As a result of the trouble between Miss tional society, made a hit in his first ad- Gussic Holland and Mrs. Cooper at the A. M. E. oburch there was a trial in Juswas charged with having slapped Miss The woman's home missionary society | Holland, the warrant having been sworn

Double Wedding at Church. Thursday afternoon at the Garman world gave an interesting lecture on his Methodist church at Boody there was a travels before the educational society double wedding. The contracting parties were Rev. Eugene Weissenbach of St. proceeds go to the organ of the Tuscola and Mrs John Pistorius of Boody.

Caught with a Value P. J. McCarthy, late of Mattoop, was the Brand blacksmith shop. He con-

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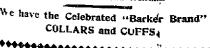
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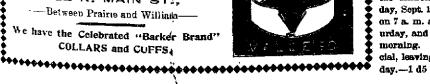
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#### EASTERN STAR HOME.

Peorla Transcript: The local commit-

tee of Eastern Star people who negotiated with the Home association and secured the location of that institution in Peo ria, will not protest the claim to the in stitution with Macon, where it was locat ed after Peoria had been chosen. They will simply submit a minority repor when the Home matter is presented, an ask to be heard that their position amy be understood of the members of the order throughout the state. They do not Wedding on East Wood street early in want the home now, and would not accept it. They made an offer of a site and \$5000 cash, which was readily accepted by the Home association, but when they refused to turn over the cash until the association could show the remainder of the \$20,000 which the Home was to cost, the Home association took the home away from this city and located it at Macon. Telephone Rock Plaster Co. for The local committee worked hard to meet their obligation, but raised the money Mama cats a Cascaret, haby gets the and held to it until something tangible enefit. Cascarets make mother's milk should be shown on the other side. Ev-

The negligee shirt, the X-ray sleeves

asociation are: President-W. J. Applegate, D. G. C.

Illinois A. M. E. Conference. The twenty-fifth Illinois conference of ton, of Metropolis, was elected secretary, and Revs. C. H. Sheen, of Bloomington, the bullet only grazed his forehead. He ants. The conference will close on Sun-

### ing the bishop.

le au Ingrate. Clinton Public: Charles Hastings, of

Taking compassion on the fellow, he took heree, and while away the tramp stole

Methodist Conference

DR. GALEENER MAKES GOOD SHOWING



PERSONAL MENTION.

on a business trip.

is somewhat improved.

City today on business.

Miss Bessie Hopkiins is ill at her home

Aaron Kaufman came home from Indianapolis this morning.

Misses Margaret and Annie Roberts are visiting friends at Charleston.

Dr. Girard, who has been ill of appendicitis for the third time, is recovering.

Superintendent J. S. Goodrich, of the Wabash, was in the city today on busi-Frank Warren was called to Sumper

yesterday on account of the serious illziesa of his wife. William Cleland, of Warrensburg Mo., isin the city visiting J. W. Cleland,

on West Wood street. Misses Eva M. Dunham and Nellie File have gone to Bloomington to attend the State Normal University.

Rev. A. W. Hawking will be home to-day from New Hope, where he has been assisting in a revival meeting.

Mrs. N. W. Woodford, who has been visiting friends at St. Paul for the past three weeks, arrived home today.

Attorney and Mrs. M. Shea will leave this evening for Shelby county on a visit. They will be absent a week.

Mrs. B. K. Durfee left this morning for Chicago, where she will meet Mr. Durfee and go with him to New York City. Coroner Bendure returned last night from St. Louis, where he attended the annual meeting of cemetery superin-

Mayor Conklin and his son, Conductor Charles Conklin, of the Wabash, left this afternoon to visit their stock in

Misses Jennie and Bessie Antrim left today for St. Louis, where they will re-sume their studies at the Forest Park

Miss Lota, the elder daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Swearingen, is very sick at the home of her parents on West

North street. Alderman and Mrs. R. R. Montgomery arrived home this morning from In-dianapolis, Ind., where they attended the races yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Hall, of Kenosha, Wis., is in the city, having been called here by the illness of her niece, the little daugh ter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swearingen.

Mrs. J. W. Race and niece, Miss Editn Race, arrived home last night from New York City. They have been traveling in Europe for several mouths and landed in New York a few days ago.

Public Sale of Thoroughbred Jersey Cattle On account of the death of my wife I am compelled to close out my entire herd of Thoroughbred Jersey Cattle, which consists of about thirty head of mitch cows, young heifers and bulls. The sale will take place on Thursday, October 8th, 1896, at the Decatur Trotting Association Park, north of the city. This herd of Jerseys is one of the finest in the state, and this sale will afford an opportunity of securing some very

When we consider that the intestine are about five times as long as the body we can readily realize the intense suffering experienced when they become inflamed. DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure subdues inflammation at once and completely removes the difficulty. A. J. Stoner & Son and Armstrong Bros.

Sale to commence at one o'clock.

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#### In Bloom Again.

Frank Hodgins has a natural curio at his home, 1461 North Morgan street. It is a cherry tree which is now in full bloom for the second time this year. of red cherries and he will watch it close for another rich supply.

Tailor Shop Closed. The tailoring establishment formerly

owned by L. H. Rude has been purchased by L. C. King, who will conduct the business. He will have his office in the Syndicate block

#### State Committee Appointments.

Attorney J. M. Clokey, by appointment today for Sullivan to speak at a rally this afternoon and night.

This assignment has also been made for states attorney I. R. Mills by the state committee: At Delavan, Saturday, Sept. 19, afternoon and night. The other speakers are ex-Governor Fiter and Senato

Cheapest, Because the Best **GAIL BORDEN EAGLE BRAND** CONDENSÊD MILK N. Y. Condensed Milk Co.

Ex-President Harrison will make but one more speech during the campaign and that will be at Indianapolis.

N. K. Whipp, of Marion, Ohio. commander of the supreme commandery of the United States Order of American Mechanics, died yesterday of typhoid pneu-

A grave containing the parts of several human skeletons was found yesterday in the woods near Evanston. They are supposed to be the remains of some of the victims of H. H. Holmes, who at one time occupied a house in the vicinity.

The Peoria & St. Louis Railway com-C. A. Pollock was in St. Louis today pany yesterday filed with the state recorder of deeds a mortgage in favor of Rob-Mrs. Samuel Powers, who has been ill, ert Maclay and the Knickerbocker Trust Co., of New York, to secure bonds to the Attorney J. M. Gray went to Dalton amount of \$1,100,000 issued in aid of the

James A. Norton, a well known lawyer and orator, of Chicago, died yesterday at Lake Geneva, Wis.

Newton Dill, a farmer living near Columbus, Ohio, was found yesterday with the top of his head blown off. His wife, and Michael Hemlich, a hired man, have been arrested.

Missouri Democrats and Populists yes terday agreed upon terms of fusion. The latter will get four of the seventeen elect-

The two factions of the Republicans in South Carolina met yesterday to effect a combination on presidential electors. They failed to agree and each nominated full ticket.

Enock Pratt, a Balitomie millionaire philanthropist and banker, died last

DEMAND LOWER RENTS.

Bad Crops Around Eureka Compel Farm ers to Ask Reductions.

Eureka, Ill., Sept. 18.—The failure in the cats crop in this part of Illinois for the past two years, coupled with the low price of grain for eighteen months, is causing a general demand for a reduction of rent on farm property. Heretofore many renters have paid from \$4 to \$6 an acre for land, and the double misfortune of crop failures and low prices has prevented a great many from paying their rent. Those who are now making contracts for land for the coming year are demanding a considerable reduction in rent or are having the contracts made payable n grain rent. Several property owners in this vicinity have given their tenunts a voluntary reduction.

WAITING FOR BIGGER GAME. Corbett and Sharkey Have Not Yet Accept

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—The national

club has not received a reply from either Cornett or Sharkey to the telegram sent them offering \$10,000 for a ten-round contest in San Francisco. The club is not worried over their silence, and rather inclines to the belief that the big bruisers are holding the offer in reserve until they have satisfied themselves no better terms will be forthcoming from other quarters.

#### Resignation.

Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 18.-United States Senator Smith publishes an annonneement to the affect that being unalbe to reconcile his views with the Democratic national platform he will resign the chairmanship of the state committee.

Smith's letter concludes as follows: 'In doing this I am governed by self propriety, not by any intention to set up my personal views against the expressed policy of my party. But as a Democrat obedient to party I must and do bow to the will of majority and unhesitatingly exchoice milch cows. A credit of six press my belief that the people may safely months—4 per cent discount for cash, trust a Democratic president and congress for whatever legislation may prove necessary for the welfare of the country

#### Murder and Sulcide.

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 18.-F. J. Fowler, of Stillwell, Okla., found his runaway wife in this city today. He shot her dead and then killed himself.

Will Look at the Property. The finance committee and the fire

commissioners will meet this afternoon and look at the property now occupied by the Linn & Scruggs building. The lot was offered to the city by the First National bank as a place on which to build Frank says that tree gave him a fine lot the city offices and fire house. The price asked for the lot is \$6500 and about as much again would have to be paid for the building. The committee will examine the property to see if the building could be remodeled to suit the purpose.

#### Arrested at Boody.

Today Constable Fred Miller went to Boody and arrested Frank and Elmer Elder on a warrant sworn out by August Fruhear, charging thom with assault. of the Republican state committee, left They were brought before Justice Provost for trial. The case against Frank Elder was dismissed and the other brothar was fined \$3 and costs.

Watson in Denver.

Denver, Col., Sept. 18 -Vice Presidential Candidate Watson arrived here today and conferred with ex-Governor Waite nd other middle-of-the-road Populists. He leaves for the east next Monday.

The French May Not Surrender Typan. Paris, Sept. 18 .- It is now said the French statute of limitation will prevent the extradition of Typan for connection in the Phoenix park murders.

Weather This Afternoon and To-Morrow Chicago, Sept. 18.—Illinois: Showers tonight and Saturday; fresh casterly

SIMPLE SUMS FOR SILVERITES.

Problems Which Can Essily Be Figured

Out by Voters A farmer raises 1,000 bushels of wheat, for which he now gets \$500. With that money he buys various kinds of manufactured goods at low prices. With free coinage at sixteen to one he might get \$1,000 for his wheat, but would certainly have to pay nearly twice as much for the goods he would buy. How much would the farmer gain from a cheap money scheme which doubled the price of the things he got in exchange for his wheat?

The Sherman silver law of 1890 provided for the purchase by the government of 54,000,000 ounces of silver per year. Under the operation of that law the price of silver, after a short speculative rise, fell steadily from \$1.16 to 73 cents per ounce. If the purchase and storage of practically the entire American production of silver could not prevent its price from falling, what reasons are there for believing that the mere act of coining silver into dollars and returning them to the owners of the bullion will double the price of all the silver in the world?

A workingman who depends for his livelihood on the sale of his labor to an employer is now paid two dollars per day in currency based on the gold standard and kept on a parity with gold by our laws. This two dollars will buy a relatively large quantity of necessities. If this country adopts free coinage and goes on to a silver basis, two dollars will buy only one-half as much of the goods the workingman needs. Show how labor would be benefited by a policy which would cut the purchasing power of wages in two?

An investor having money to lend was approached by a farmer who wanted a loan for the nurpose of buying new implements, additional stock and some fertilizers. "If you will let me have \$800 on the security of my land and buildings," said the farmer, "I will vote for a free silver law which will enable me to pay you back next year in dollars worth half of those you lend me." State how much money that investor loaned the farmer, also the rate of interest paid.

A large number of persons who complained that they were poor decided to enact laws which would make them all rich. As the poverty consisted in the lack of food, clothes, furniture, houses and other forms of wealth, they agreed that instead of producing the things they needed they would set men to work digging silver, which they did not need, out of the Rocky mountains. By so doing they expected that the supply of other labor products would in some mysterious way be increased. How much is twice nothing, and how will the changing of silver bullion into coins make more houses, machinery or

If the "sound money" vote in Vermont increases the republican majority from 21,000 in 1892 to 38,000 this year, how long will it take the sixteen to one issue to wipe out the entire demo-eratic vote in that state?—Whidden

men for leaning toward free silver that 'things can't be worse than they **xo**v

This is a mistake. Matters can be very much worse, especially for the workingman.

First,-They would be worse if wage were paid in a 53-cent dollar or in a dol lar worth less than 100 cents. However it may be with mine owners and mortgage debtors, men whose capital is their labor are not interested in having the "purchasing power of their dollar diminished.

Second.—Things would be made worse for the 1,732,382 savings bank depositors in this state alone if their \$715,032,899 of savings were made payable in depreciated dollars.

Third.-Things would be worse for nearly 1,000,000 pensioners if their monthly stipend were to be paid in 53-

Fourth.-Things would be worse for all the millions of beneficiaries of stock. mutual and cooperative insurance companies and all the 1,745,725 shareholders in building and loan associations if payment were to be made to them in any money less good than the best.

Fifth.—Things would be worse for everybody in case a panic caused by the prospect of a silver basis.—N. Y.

The Tempting "More Modey" Scheme

There would be a scramble to pick up the promise did they not see the

Silver, Copper, and Then Paper. The owners of copper mines need not be elated with the idea that the argument for cheap silver dollars is a still better argument for cheaper copper dollars. We shall not drop to a copper basis. The ultimate resting place for the popucrats is foredetermined in their platform assertion of the right of the government to issue legal tender paper notes. That is the cheap money para-

pudiation are logically drawn. Don't Go It Blind.

The man who cannot see just how the free coinage of silver is going to increase the number of dollars in his pocket should not vote for it.

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Wheat-167, Estimated, 145, Year ago, 53. Corn-301; Estimated, 400; a year ago, 477. Oats-239; Estimated, 240; a year ago, 295. BRYMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 275; Corn, 560; oats, 300. LONDON, 1 p. m .-- Off coast: Wheat, nothing. On passage: Wheat firm, but not active partially higher, 3d. English country market

Hog receipts 23,000; estimated 25,000. Market steady to strong. Light. \$2,90@4,30; Mixed \$2.75@\$3.25; Heavy, \$2.85@\$3.15; Rough, \$2.45@

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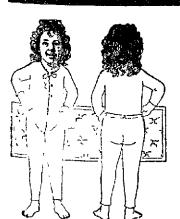
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Beecial Washington Letter.1 "Electricity is something about

which nobody knows very much, and concerning which very few know any-thing," says the electrician of the capitol. "I have been handling electricity for many years, but I have much to learn

"Until very recently I did not know the derivation of the word, because I am not a dialectician. I have become interested in the collection of amber, pearl,



crystal and other peculiar things in nature, and will show you the collection; but first I want to tell you about electricity. It originated in the Greek word lektron, which was applied to amber housands of years ago. The ancients liscovered amber, but it puzzled them to know whether it was a metal, mineral or jewel. They found that it was made electrical by friction, and so they called word electricity. "There are various forms of electricity. Common electricity is produced by

friction, and for many years glass and amber were the principle articles used in producing it. Until it came into common use electricity was looked upon with awe by even those who produced it by friction. Then there is galvanic or voltaic electricity, resulting from chemical decomposition in a galvanic battery. Atmospheric electricity is seen wondered at by everybody from childbood to old age. It comes with thunder storms, and is sometimes very destructive, shattering church steeples, setting fire to houses, rushing down the sides of trees, and sometimes killing people in open fields. There are many artificial manifestations of this mys-terious power of nature, and it is becoming a necessary part of modern civilization. It is the most economical and popular motive power for street and suburban railways; it has superseded gas as an illuminant; it is used for cookery in place of wood, coal and gasoline; and its uses for telegraphing and telephoning are marvelous in extent. Here in the capitol life would sometimes be unendurable with gas light and its

"There are thousands of miles of wire concealed in these solid marble walls, and throughout the granite basements and subways. The weather bureau has its connections here, and in the senate and house and lobbies there are skilled scientists who tell the statesmen all about the weather in their distant homes, as well as the speed of the wind and the condition of the temperature outside the capitol building. The teleto the commercial centers, so that with idol with pearl. tricity we are constantly in connec-

elektron, and you see how attractive it becomes with a little friction. Here is a large piece of virgin amber, one of the largest pieces in the world. By rubbing it with this chamois skin it becomes heavily charged with electricity See these bits of paper and cardboard flying after it as I pass it over the table. It is not to be wondered that the ancients regarded it as mystical and magical. They believed that there was a spirit of good or of evil in the amber, and that heat incited that spirit to manifest himself. The prevailing impression was that it was a spirit of affec tion, drawing others towards it, without malice. Many, however, believed that the spirit in the amber was malevolent, and that it would deceive and destroy all who came under its influence. The human mind is naturally and was made more theological than philosophical, and hence we have so many religions in the world. They all seem to arise from the natural disposition of man to fathom the unfathomable, and to build theories concerning the supernatural. The amber was fruitful of much specu-My New Goods are in and ready for inspection. Can lation, and the old-time philosophers passed away from earth without even knowing the origin of the mysterious

"Pieces of amber having flies or other insects imbedded in them excited philosschools. Amber must have attracted the insects and swallowed them; and yet amber appeared to be a solid substance, without life, without mouth, or no longer mysterious, for we know that a fortune writing a novel about the amber is actually the fossil gum of an extinct cone-bearing tree. This gum, digestive organs. These phonomena are

AMBER PUZZLED THEM. in the process of hardening imprisoned the flies and other creatures held in its gummy embrace, and there they are to-day, perfectly preserved, and looking very much alive, although imprisoned. once saw and tried to purchase a beautiful specimen which contained a little lizard with five legs, looking as much alive as a living lizard could look in a teaspoonful of syrup; but it had been dead for thousands of years. That specimen is in a private collection, and no amount of money will buy it.

"Amber was at one time more valuable than gold, because it was scarcer. In the Fourteenth century and previous to that time, amber was made into knives and forks with one prong for the use of princes and dignitaries of the church. In those days nobody knew the real amber fields, and a great deal of it was found by the seashores, where it was washed up by the waves. It has been discovered, however, that the extinct cone-bearing trees flourished in mmense forests on the plains of north Germany, and amber is there discovered in large quantities by miners. Large quantities of it are also found in the ellow sandstone along the Baltic hores. There are regularly operated amber mines in east Prussia, at Palmicken, and it is also picked from the cliffs, much as placer miners find gold in California pockets. Consequently amber is no longer more valuable than gold, but on the contrary it is on the market at from two to fifty dollars per pound, according to its quality. It is no longer used for knives and forks, but is most generally used for mouth pieces on meerschaum and other pipes. It is no longer one of the mysteries of the world, but one of the commodities. But the specimens found in various places in peculiar conditions, still find their way into the cabinets of the collectors of curios.

"Here is something as wonderful as the amber containing insects. Look at this diminutive Chinese god. It is a perfect pearl, and yet you must know that no sculptor could ever have chis-

eled it and polished it so perfectly.

"Pearls are morbid symptoms in oysters. If a bullet is imbedded in human flesh and not extracted, and the man lives, the bullet becomes encysted. Nature forms a coating around it. That is exactly what is done by nature for the pearl-bearing oysters. All along the Chinese coast this fact is taken advantage of. The cunning Chinamen know that if a grain of sand gets inside of the shell of the oyster, nature will form coating after coating of pearly secre-tion around the disturbing particle, thereby protecting the oyster from irri-

"Some ingenious Chinaman fashioned this little god, and then forced open the



THE INGENIOUS CHINAMAN.

shell of a large ster, and put the god inside. Nature Locecded to cover the intruding object with numerous secretions, until behold we have a perfect pearl god; and it is indeed one of the wonders of my collection. The cyster assaulted must have been a large one. It is not unlikely that this experiment graph wires which connect the capitol may have been tried on a number of oysters before one was found strong and departments also tap the through wire healthy enough to live and cover the

"The Chinamen make a regular busition with the entire world. And yet, as I said before, very few people know anything scientifically about its color of the thing scientifically about it, and only oyster shells. It is a difficult thing to recently did I know the derivation of the word. the word.

"But, like all men, I am talking about my own specialty, when I started out line in the specialty when I started out line in the specialty when I started out line in the specialty without killing in the special way in the special without killing in the special way in the special way. to show you my curies and tell you lips just far dough without killing some of the strange things about them. Amber being electric was called lolly and the strange that the mollust. Of course, all pearls are not artificially produced; in fact only allely transport to the strange that the mollust of course, all pearls are not artificially produced; in fact only allely transport to the strange that the mollust of the mollust a small proportion of them. But all of the cur osities are the result of Chinese manipulation. The pearl divers bring oysters to the surface for food, as well as for their pearls. They risk their lives on all occasions, for the ocean is full of sharks, and many a diver has gone gayly at his work, never to be seen again on earth. He has become food for some one of the monsters of the deep. I have read some wonderful stories of fights which pearl divers have had with sharks, in which the divers have come out victorious by striking the sharks behind the pectoral fin with long, keen knives. It is narrated of one diver that he made a fortune by killing two sharks in one day, one 30 feet long, and the other 35 feet long. He

more last that when treating the diseases of women, they suggest and insist on "examinations" and "local treatment." A great many of them do not know that this is absolutely unnecessary. Many a woman has been thrown into a dangersus state of nervous excitement by the mere suggestion of such treatment. Many women lie to the doctor. That sounds hard, but it is undoubtedly true. They know that if they admit certain symptoms that the doctor will inevitably insist on an "examination." They do not give him all the facts in the case, and so he works in the dark. Quite often the doctor is too busy and too hurried to make the necessary effort to obtain the facts. He frequently treats symptoms for what they appear to be on the surface, when the real cause and the real sickness is deeper and more dangerous. A derangement of the distinctly feminine organs will derange the whole body. The woman herself may not know exactly what is the matter with her, but whenever she is sick, there are two things she should look out for first. One is what is called "female weakness;" the other is constipation, for these two things frequently go together. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is designed for the cure of diseases and disorders of women, and it does cure them. It has been performing its healing mission for 30 years, and tens of thousands of women keep been made happy by it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are for constipation, and contingent tills. Druggists sell them, but sometimes in well meaning ignorance, they will try to sell you something clse. There is nothing "just the same" or "just as good." The druggist who tells you there is, is either mistaken or dishonest.

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SMITH D. FRY.

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Gazin' out across the way,
Nothin' there to look at, only
What I see most every day,
Houses jest like one anuther,
Towerin' up four stories high,
Nice enough, but then I'd ruther
See n good-sized bit o' thy
Like the sky so blue an' soft an'
Fleecy-like. How I'd enjoy
Seekr' it ez I did often
When I was a growin' boy.

When I was a grown boy.

When I was a happy youngster.
Laughin' like at earthly ills,
Livin' on th' farm amongst th'
Dear New England rugged hills.

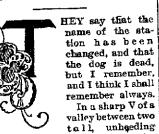
Wish't when I wake up some mornin'
I ked find myself again
In the house what I was born in,
Sleepin' side o' Brother Ben.
How the ol' straw bed 'ud rest me,
Sleepin' through 'ithout a break;
I dunno tho' but I'd jest be
Batisfied to lay awake.

Wonder of there's many changes
In the place 'of I ked see?
Guess the thing 'twould seem mos'
strange is
Me, the boy that ust to be.
There was our oi' scup that hung there
On the ellum tree, where I
Lot's o' times have set an' swung there,
Waitin' for the cat to die.
Went to school then, 'cept in hayin',
Books I some way didn't love,
'Member mother kep' a sayin' 'Member mother kep' a sayin "Hurry! it's a quarter of!"

"Hurry! it's a quarter of!"

Ust ter call myself ill-treated When I had to fetch the cow, Guess I know how more'n sweet 'ud Be a ramble like that now. I kin almos' smell th' clover Freshenin' th' mornin' breeze, Not much like th' smells all over City streets like sech ez these. Suthin's set my eyes a-winkin', Does occasionally when I set down an' git a-thinkin' 'Et I was a boy again —An Old Boy, in Good Housekeeping.

WATCHED FOR HIS MASTER



a little brown station, all alone. It looked like a knot in the end of a brown rag of road that bung over the lew ridge beyond it. 'Hope" was the name in the middle of nipeg, — miles," at the nearer end, and "Vancouver, — miles," at the farther.

There was small token of life about

the building so far as even we in the observation car could see, so when the conductor came back from the office with his orders we wondered why the train did not go on. But pretty soon a tall old man with a red flag under his arm came up the track ahead of the station platform Some of us had alighted, and to us he volunteered, while he rolled the flag closer: "Rock on the track"

"Is it very large?" asked some one. "Nope, they'll git it off purty soon;

like 'nough in 'bout ten minutes''
That accent was unmistakably from the "states," and I came nearer, where I could hear all he said He sat down on a pile of boxes and in reply to some remark said, meditatively:

"Nope, trains don' hev much 'casion to stop here long nowadays. Used to be a purty decent mine up yonner," jerk ing his head toward the little road; "then they war some doin's here."
"Mine abandoned?"

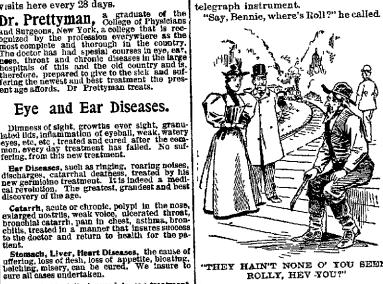
"Eaup," he was going on, when another idea struck him; he looked around

"They hain't none o' you seen Rolly, "Who's Rolly?"

"W'y, Rolly, he's the dorg;" his eyes grew anxious; "he's a great matitution round these parts, Rolly is."

He rose and went quickly to the door of the station, opened it and put his bead inside. We heard the click of the

telegraph instrument.



"THEY HAIN'T NONE O' YOU SEEN ROLLY, HEV YOU?"

His voice was different from that in which he spoke to the men outside. The answer was inaudible.

"Humph! Curious, ain't it? When did he go?" Again the inaudible reply "Well, he must a heard the whistle." He came back to the travelers, but with his eyes on the brown road over the ridge.

"Didn't it pan out?" asked one. "Huh? Oh, the mine! I dunno; I guess 'twould ef-" but the old idea

vas too strong-his eyes sought the slope again. "Now, where in time is that dorg? He hain't use' to missin' "What was the matter at the mine?"

"On, there was ghosts came there, 'n' that scart everybody, 'n' now they won't no one go nigh but Rolly, and he's interested. Wish 't he'd come, any. "Well, what is it about Rolly, my

friend; is he your dog?" asked a big, quiet man standing near his wife. "Nope. That is, he is and he isn't-One way he ain't mine; he's Bennie's.

cause everything I've got that Bennia hankers after is his'n, an' he thinks a heap o' Rolly. Bennie's the telegraph

"'Nother way he ain't mine nor Bennie's, neither. He hisself thinks he b'longs to a man 't hain't been 'round here quite a spell—the last contractor at the 'Hope.' He left in a leetle hurry one night, bein' found with some mine pay money mixed in his own inside pocket by mistake, 'n' he forgot the

One traveler, acquainted with western euphemisms, asked:
"Did they hang or shoot him?"

The old fellow grinned.

"Shot 'im; sent the remnants east in a box. We hain't lookin' for 'im back, but Rolly is. Yes, sir, he's on hand every train, an' between times he goes up to the mine to see if his man has slipped by unbeknownst an' gone up

Just then the conductor, passing, said:

"Nearly ready; all aboard!" We started reluctantly for the car, all of us with our eyes on the brown road now. The old man walked with

"Can't think what on 'arth keeps 'im. He'll cry all day of he misses this train." We were all on board now. The con

ductor stood, watch in hand, his eyes too, on the road.
"There he is!" some one shouted.

"He knowed he was late an' took the short cut!" exclaimed the old man. Our eyes left the road, and at the

other end of the platform met a small smooth-coated, black-and-white, mongrel, all dusty and panting, crouched with quivering flanks by the steps of the last car, a Pullman. The dog's eyes were on the porter

The porter looked to the conductor for a sign; the conductor looked at his watch and his orders and nodded. Then the porter lifted the eager little brute into the car vestibule.

We in the observation car all waited

with eyes on the door of the neares Pullman; all but the quiet man, who had retired into the front corner of the car behind his newspaper.

"Blest if I want to see the beast dis appointed," he said to his wife.
"Does he go through the whole train?" I asked of the old man.

"Yes, miss, all but the col'nist car and



MAN'S KNEES.

the em'grant; he knows that hain't the

Just then the Puliman door opened and the porter came through, followed by the dog, stepping high and nervous ly. There were a great many in the car and the dog was bewildered. The porter picked him up and put him on one of the seats, a double row of which ran back down to the center of the car. The dog put his paws on the back of the seat and looked all around, ears up, nos trils moving, flanks quivering, fair straight out and slowly waving. His in tense feeling was manifest in every turn and move, in his search for his lost master.

Suddenly he gave a sharp yelp and bounded over the center seats down the aisle like a young tornado and stopped with both paws on the quiet man's knees, yelping, dancing, tearing the newspaper down upon himself.

The man took the paper away and the dog leaped toward his face with a squeal. But the squeal broke half way, and the dog fell back on all fours, still as a stone. The quiet man looked at him kindly and put out a hand to put him. The dog came closer, his eyes always on the man's face, and softly put his paws on the knees again The man said: "Well, Rolly!"

The dog's head went one side a moment; the name was all right, but the voice-the voice-

He got down and backed off, his tail between his legs, his ears waving; he gave one low, questioning whine, then

"Nice scenery," he said,—N. Y. Even-

ing Post.

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Master in Chancery's Sale. A. C. Hostetier vs Harrison R. Hemmelwright

No. 1566. Bill to foreclose mortgage.
Prolle notice is hereby given that in pursumee of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon
Jounty, Illinois, entered at the June Term A.
D. 1898, of suld court in the above entitied cause,
L. James J. Flun, Master in Chancery of sald

D. 1896, of said court in the Chancery or said 1, James J. Flun, Master in Chancery or said court, will on Saturday, September 19th, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. at the north door of the court house in the City of Decatur in said county offer for said at public auction to the highest and best bidder for each in hand subject to redemption according to law the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows:

Lot two (2). Block one (1), of Montgomery & Shull's 1st Addition to the City of Decatur, Also lot ten (10), block six (b), of Montgomery &

Special Tax Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the city council of the city of Decatur, having ordered that Maryland street shall be paved and improved from the south line of Cerro Gord Street to a point twelve feet east of the west line of Front street, in the city of Decatur, Mayon county, Illinois, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk of said city, have applied to the county court of Macon county, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvements, according to benefits, upon the abutting property according to frontage; and an assessment of special tax roll thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereof will be had at the October term of said court, commencing on the fifth day of October A. D. 1896. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense.

LANDY H. MARTIN. | Commissioners. I., W. FRIBOURG, Sept. 22, 1898.

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In the Circuit Court of Macon County. ellia Tay vs. Agnes V. Roddy et al-No. 15581.

Nellia Tay vs. Agnes V. Roddy et al—No. 16881.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, entered in the June Term thereof, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled cause, I. James J. Finn, master inchancery of said court, will on Saturday, the 26th day of September,

A. D. 1896,
at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the north door of the court house in Decatur in said county, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder at ublic auction, for cash in hand, subject to redemption according to law, the following described real estate, to wit: Lot 17 in Block 1, Renshay's Addition to Decatur, in Macon county, fillinois.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 4th day of September, 1866. September, 1896. JAMES J. EINN, Master in Chancery. Crea, Rwing & Walker, Solicitors, [Sept 4-dtd

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CHANCERY NOTICE. STATE OF ILLINOIS, BS. MACON COUNTY, BS.

In the Circuit Court, to the September Term, A. D. 1896 D. 1896

The People's Savings and Loan Association vs. Agnes V. Roddy, frank P. Roddy, George F. Hall, The H. Miseler Plumbing and Heating Company, Albert T. Summers, Frank W. Caltwell, Michael Elchinger, Mary E. Bichinger, Samuel S. Jack, Assignee of the estate of Michael Elchinger; James W. Race, conservator of Michael Elchinger; E. E. McNeelle, Edward L. Pegran, George Harpstries, John Allen, Jennie Athert, D. C. Corley, Jacob Hanes, C. C. Leforgeo and John L. Drake—in Chancery, No.—

Affidayt that Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P.

named defendants to the sheriff of Macon county which has been returned as against them not found, notice is hereby given to the said Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P. Roddy that the above named complainant heretofore filed its bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and which sait is still hending; and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, returnable to the first day of the next September term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the fourth Monday in said month of September, A. D. 1866. Now, unless you, the said Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P. Roddy, shall be and appear before said court on the first day of said term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered against you according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this isth day of August, A. D. 1806, ang 18 day.

E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.

CHANCERY NOTICE. STATE OF ILLINOIS, SS MACON COUNTY SS

In the Circuit Court, To the September Term A. D. 1896. A.D. 1896.

Benedict McGorray vs. Stephen McGorray
at al—Partition.
Affidavit that Amanda McGorray, Grace
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Fromat McGorray and each of them.

Now unless you the said Amanda McGorray, Grace Wiltituker, Guerdon McGorray, Grey McGorray, Stephen McGorray, Bernard McGorray, Thomas McGorray and Lawrence McGorray, shall porsonally be and appear before Said disconcountry on the first day of the next term thereof to be held at the court house in the City of Decatur, in the said country, on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1892, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

August 19, 1896.

August 19, 1896.
EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
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STATE OF ILLINOIS,
Macon County,
Circuit Court of Macon County, to the September Term, A D. 1898.

The Loan and Homestead Association vs Bartlett Clark, et al—in Chancery.
Affidavit of the non-residence of Oliver Clark, Cassius Clark, Kate Clark, Lizzle Thompson and Cassis Goins of the above nameddefendents baving been filed in the office of the clork of said circuit court of blacon county, notice is hereby given to you, the said Clark named defendants having been filed in the office of the clerk of and circuit court of biacon county, notice is hereby given to you, the said Oliver Clark. Cassius Clark, Kate Clark. Lizzie Thompson. Bothward Thompson and Cassie Gona, that the complainant filed its bill of complaint heretofore and its amended bill on the Nineteenth day of Angust. A. D. 1896, in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereopon issued out of said court against you, the said defendants, returnable on the Twenty-night day of Soptember. A. D. 1896, an is required by law.

Now unless you, thesaid Oliver Clark, Cassins Clark, Kate Clark, Lizzie Thompson. Edward Thompson and Cassie Gons shall be and personally appear before said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof to be held at the court bonse in the City of Descatus, in said compty, on the Twenty-nighth day of September. A. D. 1896, and pleud, answer or demand the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill. August Nineteenth, A. D. 1896.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, | sq.

COUNTY OF MACON. |
In the Circuit Court, September Term, 1895.
Jane E. Hoffman vs. William H. Hoffman—In Chancer.

Affidavit of the non-rosidence of the said William H. Hoffman having been filed in the office of the circuit clerk of said county, notice is hereby given the said William H. Hoffman that the above named couplainant has filed her till of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next September term of said court, to be held at the court house in the City of Decatur, in said court, out he fourth Monday in September, 1896.

Now unless you, the said William H. Hoffman, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint the same will be taken as true, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 18th day of August A. D. 1896.

E. McGliellan, Clerk.

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Special Assessment Notice Special Assessment Notice

Nonce is hereby given to all persone interest ed, that the City cloudel of the City of Decatur, having ordered that a sewer be constructed which shall commence at a point 12 feet south of the center of the intersection of the alley first north of Herkimer street and Clinton, thence northwesterly to center of said alley, thence west to center of alley between Broadway and Morgan streets, thence north to south line of Division street, in the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the City Curt of Macon county, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvements, according to benefits, and an assessment roll thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be heard at the October term of said court, commencing on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1896. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense.

Decatur, Illinois, Sept. 16, 1896.

of October,
may then and there appear and
fense.
Decatur, Illinois, Sept. 16, 1896.
J. W. REAVIS,
JOHN S. JONES,
R. THOMAS,
\*\*Commissioners,

CHANCERY NOTICE. STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 86

STATE OF ILLINOIS. | 85

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, Macon County. | 1898. | In the Circuit Court to the September Term, The People's Savings and Loan Association va. Agnes V. Roddy, Frank P. Roddy, Albert T. Summers. Michael Elchinger, Mary E. Elchinger: Samuel S. Jack, Assignee of Michael Elchinger; James W. Race, Conservator of Michael Elchinger; James W. Race, Conservator of Michael Elchinger; E. S. McNeelle, R. L. Pegram, George (Harpstrite, John Allen, The H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating Company, Jennie Albert, D. C. Corley, Jacob Hanes, Charles C LeForgee and William H. Garrett—In Chancery. | Affidavit that Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P. Roddy, two of the defendants above named are not nor is either of them residents of the State of Illinois, having been filsed in the office of the cierk of the circuit court of said county, and summons having been filsed in the office of the said Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P. Roddy that the above named defendants to the sheriff of Macon county which has been returned as against the said Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P. Roddy that the said Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P. Roddy that the said Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P. Roddy that be court against the above named defendants, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, the said Agnes V. Roddy and Frank P. Roddy shall be and appeared to the first day of the next September term of said court, to be held at the ceutr of the court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of term, and plead, answer or de

CHANCERY NOTICE. STATE OF ILLINOIS | SS

Affidavit that Amanda McGorray, Grace Whittaker, Guerdon McGorray, Gry McGorray, Grow Mittaker, Guerdon McGorray, Grow McGorray, Grow Mittaker, Guerdon McGorray, Grow Mittaker,

sahi county on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1896.
Now unless you, the said Samuel G. Malone, Salina J. Malone, S. O. Hopkins, as such receiver aforesaid, Elizabeth Gordon, Jethro K. Bolter, Mary Bohrer, Kate Harkrader, Henry Miller and Mrs. Henry Miller, the unknown heirs, legatees of devisees of John McMennemy, deceased the unknown heirs, legatees of devisees of Elizabeth Gordon, If deceased, the unknown heirs, legatees of devisees of Harriet Granse, deceased, Shail each be and appear on demired that of the irist day of said court to plead, answer or domar to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken sgainst you and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this folh day of August, A. D. 1896.
[Neal.]

18. McCLELLAN, Cierk.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

Marian A. Waterhouse vs. Mary Boruff et al-Foreclosure nereof.
Dated this 19th day of August, A. D. 1896.
[Seal.] E. McCLELLAN, Glerk.
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By virtue of a fee-bill to me directed and deityred by the clerk of the circuit court of
Macon county. Illinois, in favor of L. R.
Cain and against Amenda Cavanaugh and
Alliert T. Summers, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Commence,
ing at the intersection of north line of the westhalf of the southwest quarter of section fourteen
(14), township sixteen (16) north, range two (2)
east of the 3d P. M. with the Illinois Central Rallway right of way, thence west 788-100
chains, thence south 1370-100 chains to the Illinois Central Rallway right of way, thence to
the place of beginning excepting public highway, said premises being known as lot eight
(8) of the west half of the southwest quarter of
said section fourteen (14), as shown by platuecorded in plat book 22, page 15s of Macon
county records, containing 5 19-100 acres, more
or less, excepting one lot 50 feet east and west
by 130 feet north and south in the northwest
corner of said tract. Beretofore conveyed to
Wim. F. Shade. Taken as the property of the
said A. T. Summers, which I shalloffer at public
saie at the north floor of the court house, in
Docatur, in Macon county in said state, on the
2d day of October A. D., 1886, at 2 o'clook p.
m. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said
execution.
This sht day of September, A. D. 1886. The sthe day of September, A. D. 1896.
J. P. NICHOLSON,
Sept. 11-dtd Sheriff Macon Co., Ill. Sept. 11-dtd

CHANCERY NOTICE.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, LSS
MACON COUNTY LSS
In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D., 1896.

Thomas A. Pritochett, Complainant, vs. Frank P. Roddy, Agnes V. Roddy, Michael Elchinger Mary E. Eichinger, Samuel S. Jack, sued as assignee for the benefit of creditors of Michael Elchinger, an adjudged distracted person and spendthrift, Joseph S. Starr, Harry C. Starr, E. E. McNeelle, E. L. Fegram, John Allen, George Harpstrite, The Mueller Plumbing and Heating Company, Jacob Haues and C. C. Leforgee, Defendants—In Chancery.

Notice is hereby given to you the said Frank P. Roddy, Agnes V. Roddy and E. E. McNeelle in the theory side thereof, against you and the chancery side thereof, against you and the chancer of the chancer to be chanced to be chanced and a summon filtereupon issue out of said court be be holden on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1896, which cause is still peeding and undetermined in said court.

K. MCLELLAN, Cierk.

W. T. Cussins, Complainant's Bol.

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SEALED BIDS.

pertaining thereto, according to the plans and specilications of an ordinance relating thereto. passed by the city council of the city of Decatur on the 14th day of September A D. 1896, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed hids will be received at the office of the city clork of said city, from the date hereof until five o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 28th day of September, A. D. 1896, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check in the amount of one hundred dollars must secompany each bid All bids will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bett. 17-diod P. L. HAVB, City Clerk.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88.

MACON COUNTY, | In the Circuit Court, to the September Term, A. D. 1896.

In the Circuit Court, to the September Term,
A. D. 1896.

Maria Scheer vs. Hermann Scheer—In Chancery
Addavit of the non-residence of the said Hermann Scheer having been lied in the office of
the clerk of the circuit court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Hermann Scheer
that the above named complainath has filed her
bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery
side thereof, which suit is still pending, and
that summons thereupon issued out of said
court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the Lext September
tarm of said court, to be held at the court house
in the City of Decatur, in said courty, on the
fourth Monday in the month of September, 1893.

Now, unless you, the said Hermann Scheer,
shall be and appear on the first day of said
term of said court and plead, answer or demur
to the said bill of complaint, the same will be
taken as true and a decree rendered according
to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 17th day of August, A. D. 1893.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk,
Aug 17-day

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Samuel K. Smith, Deceased.

Estate of Samuel K. Smith, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Samuel K. Smith, iste of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons insving claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of September, 18th.

Sept. 10-d3w

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ian 24-d&wtf

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In effect May 20, 1896.

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Fuhlte notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with the east side of Jasper street street sever by means of a slant joint opening at a point ten feet south of either intersection of said Jasper street sewer on Jasper street with the center line of the alley running east and west between Jasida sever shall be constructed from said beginning point north-custerly by a gradual curve to the center line of said alley, thence east on the center line of said alley to the west line of Woodford street, together with all V-junctions, entrances, mannoles, catch basins, inlets and connections pertainting thereto, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto.

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To Good returning until October 10.
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and 8%c yd.

Apron Check Gingham at 4c yd.

Check Shirting at 5c yd.

Button Shoes at \$1 pair.

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Shirt Waists on sale at 25c each. Shirt Waists on sale at 75c each. Ladies' fall weight Capes on sale at

60 inch Blesched Laute Sc. Sc. Crash Toweling at 5c. Soft Finish Bleached Muslin at 5c, 64c Fine Plush Capes on sale at \$7.50, \$10 and \$2.50 each.

NOTICE.—We make to order any special kind of Skirt, Cape, Cloak or Waist, and do Dress Making of all kinds at short notice. We make over Cloaks Hemp Carpet at 10c yd.

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Remember, we're after business and will not be Undersold.



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LOCAL NEWS.

Denz, Tailor, 117 North Water St. Try Irwin's tasteless chill cure.

Duplap hats at Smith & Calkins'. You pay a little more for Sleeth's por-

West's drug store, saves you money the medicines you have to buy.

Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of june 22-dtf Use Irwin's tasteless chill cure, pleas

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nt to take and a positive cure.

Dr. L. E. Coonradt, Dentist rooms 42 and 43 Fenton block. aug24-dtf Duniap hats at Smith & Calkins'.

Only \$1 to Peoria Sunday, Sept. 20, via Vandalia line. Don't miss it.—17-d8t Only \$1 to Peoria Sunday, Sept. 20, via Vandalla line. Don't miss it.—17-d3t

This week, special price on quinine of The old reliable K & W eigars are made by John Weigand. Mch 25-dtf.

Little Diana eigar; business men ideal smoke; 5 for 10 cents; 100 for \$1.50. L. Chodat's News House.—14-dtf

Two-dollar excursion to Chicago next Saturday and Sunday, via Illinois Cen-

You can go to Chicago via Wabash Sat arday and Sunday, Sept. 19 and 20, for

Fine celery, pearl and water cross Telephone 344. Pearl Oysler and Fish Go to Chicago over the Illinois Central

The lowest prices ever offered on qui-

nine, 50 cents an ounce, at West's drug Dunlap hats at Smith & Calkins'.

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aution of the best known drugs for fever Don't forget-we have fresh eveters

laily by express. Telephone 344, Pearl Oyster and Fish Company

McCarthy had a valise when arrested In it was part of a set of veterinary surgical instruments and also a pair of opera

Illinois Central city office open on next Friday night, Sept. 18, for sale of \$2 tick ets to Chicago.—15-d5

Dunlap hats at Smith & Calkins'.

Take the new Daylight Special to Chi cage over the Illinois Central; \$2 round trip: next Saturday and Sunday .-- 15-d5 Remember we get our fish daily by ex-

press, ask us what we have. Telephone 344. Pearl Oyster and Fish Company. Members of the Endeavor societies

are preparing to attend the state con vention which is to be held at Springfield October 1 to 4.

The members of the College street evening at the home of Mrs. J. K. Love on North College street

petty larceny. He waited examination and in default of \$600 bail he was returned to the custody of the sheriff. Judge Hammer within an hour gave Ewing a

next Saturday and Sunday. Fastest tains and finest cars; \$2 round trip.-15-

Rev. P. C. Cooper, of the Decatur A. M. E. church, is at Peoria attending the church conference. Yesterday Bishop Arnett appointed Mr. Cooper chairman of the committee on dollar money. Rev. C. H. Sheen is chairman of the missionary report committee.

A representative of the Ohio Rake Co., Dayton, Ohio, was in the city today on his way to Marca to look after a claim of \$800 in the W. H. Parker assignment. The Ohio man thinks Mr. Parker was sharply pinched by somebody as he was

always thought to be in good shape. About a month ago a boy named Charles A. Trask, living in Chicago, robbed the Vabash ticket office at Manhattan, geting tickets valued at \$800, many of

state reformatory.

A QUEER CASE.

Sheriff Nicholson Gees After a Man fo

Yesterday B. F. Walter, real estate lealer and money lender, swore out a state warrant for the arrest of E. W. Green, son of Jushua Green, on a charge of forgery, and Sheriff Nicholson went to the Green place northeast of the city to find his man. He was not there, but the sheriff learned that the matter had been adjusted in some way by the party making the complaint. Mr. Green had given a new note to take the place of those which had been forged, and the parties interested had returned to the city.

This is the story told by Mr. Walter to reporter:

Two months ago E. W. Green came to Walter with a note bearing his own and his father's signatures and wanted to get money on it. It was for something over \$200. Young Green was accompanied by correctness of the note. Walter took the persons who knew Joshua Green's signature and they all united in saying that it was good. Mr. Walter "therefore sold it to J. J. Finn. A few weeks after young Green came back with another note for a similar amount and it was taken to Finn and sold. The performance was repeated a third time and after the last bargain had been completed both Walter and Finn began to get suspicious of the transsaction. They inquired around and found that the notes were not straight. A warrant was sworn out by Walter but on Wednesday be and Mr. Finn went out to the home of Mr. Green for a conference with him. They took the notes with them and he promptly declared that he had not signed any one of them and that they were all forgeries. He did not want his son arrested, however, and he gave: new note for some four hundred dollars which covers the entire amount and that of course saves Mr. Finn from any loss. The sheriff, however, did not understand that the case was settled and has nothing to do with that part of the proceeding so long as he has the warrants in his possession. It was stated lest night that young Green had given notes to S. H. McBride with his father as security and the supposition is that they will prove to be forgeries also. Walters did not know who the man Tabor was that accompanied young Green except that he had seen him hanging around gambling room stairways and the natural inference of course would be that it was Steve Tator. The fact that young Green was in company with him might also lead to the belief that he was borrowing money to beat the

In the Campaign.

game in this city.

Bishop Arnett, the distinguished colored divine, who is presiding at the Methodist conference at Peorla this week, is said to be as near Major McKinley as Mark Hanna. He is looked to as the Republican manager of the colored voters of the country and works constanty with Mark Hanna. Bishop Arnett was free to express himself to a Transcript man on things political. He said he was a very ardent supporter of McKinley and was his friend long before the nomination. In fact he assumed the management of the colored campaign before Mark Hanna did, having attended to all the details so far as the colored people were concerned. He has an office in Chicago in the Republican headquarters which he visits whenever convenient and attends to sending out literature and answering correspondence of the colored leaders over the country. He was chaplain of the St nvention and had the hopor of making one of the first speeches nominating McKinley, which was at a banquet in

There Will Be 100,000 Men in Line. There will be a great Republican deinonstration in Chicago on October 9, when it is predicted over 100,000 men will be in line. Captain John A. Barnes, who left for Chicago today, is engaged in organizing the insurance department of Chicago chapel will give a musical next Tuesday for the big parade. He is noting with G. J. Corey, the chairman of the national executive committee of commercial men of the United States. He states that he fore Justice Hardy today on a charge of will secure the names of 1500 insurance men, and every man will be in line on October 9.

Reception to Teachers. The members of the Woman's club will

give a reception to the board of education Go to Chicago over the Illinois Central and the teachers of the city tomorrow aftermoon at the club rooms. The hours will be from 3 to 5 o'clock. The members of the club entertain the teachers ev-

Mr. Mills at Blue Mound.

The McKinley club at Blus Mound had a rally last night when a big crowd was out to hear a good Republican speech by State's Attorney Mills. All of the Republican meetings are largely attended this campaign and the enthusiasm is

Socible To-Night.

The Endeavor society of the Cumberland Presbyterian church will give a sociable this evening at the home of Mrs. Andrews, on West Packard street. A musical and literary program has been arranged for the occasion.

Mrs. Ella Andrix wants a divorce from which he had sold. He was arre ted by ber husband Felix Andrix, and she has Officer Applegate of the Wabash service employed Attorney Henry Mock to look and taken to Joliet for trial, where he after the matter in court. Cruelty and has pleaded guilty and been sent to the failure to provide for his family are the allegations agains elix.

## PRIVATE JOE SEPT 29

Ex-Gov. Fifer Will Be Heard in Decatur at Night.

#### IT WILL BE A BIG REPUBLICAN RALLY

Speaking Will Be in the Open Air or at the Tabernacle-Home and Visiting Clubs will Parade.

Hurrah! Ex-Governor Jos Fifer has been assigned to deliver, a campaign address at Decatur on the night of Tuesday, a man named Tabor who vouched for the Sept. 29. It will be made the occasion of paper and submitted it to a number of clubs and Mr. Fifer will deliver a ringing a view of locating the valled which Ewing speech. Possibly other orators will be

Fifer's Tour.

These assignments have been made for Mr. Fifor by the state central committee: At Delavan, Sept. 19; Du Quoin, Sept. 25; East St. Louis, Sept. 26; Decatur, Sept. 29; Kewanee, October 1; Streator, October 2; Braidwood, October 3; Springfield, October 14; Harvard, October 28.

The East St. Louis meeting is expected to be a big affair. The railway employes there are gotting it up.

#### POLITICAL MEETINGS.

Republican Rallies to be Held in Decatur and Vicinity.

Below are the official dates of Republian meetings to be held in the near fu-

Night Meetings. St Mt. Zion, Sept, 18-I. R. Mills.

At Boody, Sept, 18-W. H. Bean. At Delavan, Sept. 19-I. R. Mills. At Elwin, Sept. 19-A. H. Mills and

L. H. Shelley. At Macon, Sept. 19-J. M. Cloker. At Macon, Sept. 34-J. E. Sharrock.

At Cerro Gordo, Sept. 29-W. F. Cal-At Bearsdule, Sopt. 26-W. F. Cal-

AFTER A DIVORCE. cott Winings Charges His Wife With

Infidelity, In the circuit court A. Scott Winings uss filed a bill for a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Flora Alica Winings. The couple were married on August 20, 1888. They separated on June 1, 1895, when

Scott left his wife. It is alleged in the

bill that on or about June 1, 1895, at Lake City, Flora committed adultery with

Mr. Hendricks. There is one child, Stelle Winings, aged 12 years. There are four lots at Lake City, belonging to Mr. Winings. He wants a divorce from his wife, the custody of the child, and that a forfeiture of right of dower defendant may have in the real estate he entered against her. Z. A. Donovan is the attorney for the com-

Those who go to Riverside park on Pythian Day, Sept. 29, may suit themselves as to where they will enloy their feast. Some may come prepared to have the spread at about noon, others may prefer to have their dinner after the speaking, at about 5 or 6 o'clock. The formal exercises at the park will close at about 4 o'clock. Entertainments at night at the K. P. hall.

Attending the Conference. J. R. Gorin, C. M. Imboden, Dr A. L. Collins and William Grubb left today for Toscola where they will attend the conference of the Methodist church. Dr.

Collins will secure a minister to preach at the First Methodist church in this city Sunday as Mr. Howe will be at the con-Births. Born-To Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Darr,

762 West Decatur street, Thursday, Sept. Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker,

Sept. 16, a son.

This is the busy time for the writers in

the office of the circuit clerk's office. Many cases are entered on the dockets for 

Prof. Bair, the physical instruteor at the Y. M. C. A., has now got the gymnasium classes fairly organized. The gymnasium has been put in shape and the classes meet regularly. Rev. A. W. Hawkins is giving a series

of lectures Sunday night. He will speak next Sunday night on 'The Strength of

There was very little business today among the merchants as the rain kept the people off the streets.

The little son of Charles Barnett is ill of diphtheria at the family residence No. 920 West King street.

man named Travis came to the city to-

DIDN'T GET OFF EASY. Plain Drunk and Cupidity Place, Slack The other day Jack Ewing and an old

gether from the country. Both had been working on a farm and they were so friendly that they took several drinks at a saloon and then played seven-up until they got tired. Mr. Travis concluded that he would leave his valise at the saloon while he and. Ewing went to the country to look for a job. The next day Ewing came to the saloon man and stated that Travis had told him to get the valise. It was given to him and Ewing went away. He was drunk at the time Then Travis appeared on the scene only to learn that Ewing had fooled the saloon keeper. Travis reported the case to the police and in a short time Ewing was found drunk, wearing a coat and yest belonging to Travis. He was put in juil to sober off. When it was thought Ewing could navigate and tell a straight story a big demenstration by city and visiting Officer Imboden took him in charge with readily admitted he had taken and hid. den among the weeds near the Union eleyator. He had taken off better garments than Travis had in his valies and had put on the Travis clothes. Evidently he didn's anticipate trouble, or perhaps he was too drunk to realize that he had done anything wrong. And when Tratilearned what Ewing had done he was inclined to drop the matter, but he had sworn out the warrant, and the case was out of his bands. Besides Ewing had confessed his guilt.

> This foreneon Ewing was taken before Judge Hammer on an information He pleaded guilty to the imposition and theft and as there was no one present to make a plea for the defendant he was fined \$25 and given a sentence of four months in the county jail. Some of the officers thought that Ewing would get off with a iall sentence of about thirty days.

All Speak Well of Them,

In a practice of nearly three years here, Drs. Appleman & Preflyman have dene their work so well that all speak well of them. They have never misrepresented to any one or and neither bave they thrown out false inducements to get bushness. In fact they have pleased all with whom they have come in contact and in tond to continue to do so in the future No other specialists have even gained the confidence of our people like these. They will be at the St Nicholas hotel, Satur day, Sept. 19, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., when all the sick can consult them free of charge.

We are frequently asked the question where can we get fresh crackers. We always answer by saying: "It is not so much where you can get fresh crackers as it is where you can get the best. The crackers that are sold at 5 cents per pound re but little better than hard tack. The dealers pay more than 5 cents for the best exackers, consequently they cannot all them at that price."

The Decatur Cracker Co. sept fidtoot 1

Sales of Real Estate. J. H. Jones to A. B. Champion, 's acres in Mt. Zion township, \$1400.

Alfred B. Champton to Doreas E. Jones

same tract, \$1400. Granville Newell to Nelson Hagerman lot 28 in blook 4 in Wood's Walnut Grove addition, \$150.

Bill Starr Tabner Club,

All members of the Bill Starr Tangar hub are requested to meet at Abbett's hali Friday evening, Sept. 18 Per order James Hollinger, president; John Moore, secretary—17d-2t

The case of Moore, the fish man, charge ed with assaulting George Brewer, came up this afternoon in Justice Shorb's

James Keefe will leave for New York tomorrow to be absent two weeks. He goes east for a rest and the benefit of his

BASE BALL.

How They stand.

Won Lost Percent Baltimore..... Cincinnati ...... Louisville...... 35 

Grand Rapids National Leagur Brooklyn 10, Washington 3. Boston 2, Baltimore 0. Louisville 8, Pittsburg 2.

Kansas City ....

Columbus.

Western League. Minneapolis 6, Indianapolis 5. Grand Rapids 8, Kansas City 3. Milwaukee 10, Detroit 9.

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inee at Canton. RAILWAY EMPLOYES ARRIVE

Many Thousands Pay Ther

pects to the Republican N

Chicago-They Number Six Th While Two Thousand Come the Carnegie Mills at Homes -Others from Other Poin

Canton, Ohio, Sept. 19,-In spi rain and had woather the people pouring into the city at a lively with a single exception that of y and today furnished the larges during the compaign. The first were the railread mon from the i cutering Chicago. They came on eleven trains; as

the railroad men the delegation uled for the day, are the Rep from Hulton, Pa., two train los the Carnegie steel works, at Hor People from points on the West York and Pennsylvania railroa ming shortly after noon. In t non the commercial travelers for innati and Pittsburg and del rem porthern Ohlo are scheduled

At 11 o'clock the Hulton, Pa.  $ext{den}$  arrived to the number of a th The rain was pouring down and t was taken to the opera house to tion. The good wishes of the were extended by General A. C field of Oakmont. McKinley re McKinley responded expression

gratifeation at meeting his old c and appreciation of the kind, gen marks. He said he was glad he sured that all in 1896 were faithfu publican principles. No state umon, he declared, knowa more i destrines of protection than Pe ma. Continuing he said: "I s those Americans who believe the an workshop should be protected the foreign workshop. (Tr chiers.) I believe the American : man should be defended by a w mus protective policy against t cheering ) In a word, I believe t try is ours. (Applause.) The fi we want in this country is plen and when we have that then we be pold in good money for who (Tremendous applause.) We neit short work nor short deliars in t el States. We neither want fr per free silver in the United Stat plane) Free trade has cheate rour wages. (Cries of "You're bis ") And we do not propose f to cheat us in our pay. (Applat

now is reason, intelligence and ism. With this we are bound t victory next November." No hall could be found sufficien for the crowd of railroad men braved the rain to hold their rec the McKinley lawn at 2 o'clock t noon. The railroad men were t

The only force needed in this

ed by J. M. Dodge, of the Illin tral, and the telegraphers by M. McKinley responded, standing rain as he addressed his auditors dined to allow an umbrella to over blm. He spoke at some le the importance of the railroad and how it was influenced by tions of the present campaign. Snished the Pennsylvanians we log an audience.

When he fluished his address duced Senator Cultom, who spe saying there is nothing the me the currency and when he tariff ly adjusted along the lines of p confidence and prosperity will i and the silver agitation will be During this meeting a delegat the Curnegic Homestead m strong came in their reception seld in the opera house.

Hoke Smith Speaks, Dalton, Ga , Sept. 19.-Ex-Se the interior, Hoise Smith, spake : occusic rally here today. Hi met with frequent outbursts of During the course of his remar that while he did not approve o cago platform he would remain the regular nominees of the orged those who thought as be the same thing. The speaker "used the question of a tariff fo

Warld's Bloycle Record Bro New York, Sept. 19.-Eddle buycle rider, broke the world's resord for balf a mile at Manhat today. Time, one minute and econds, starting from the scrat